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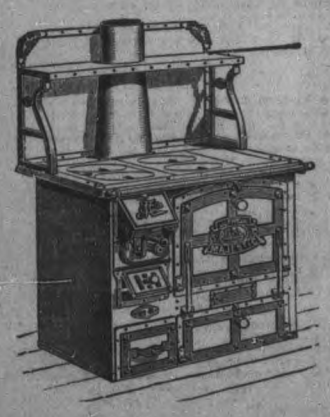

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FOR SALE—A beautiful little Italian greyhound; from premium stock; nice pet; at 11 Pandora avenue. june 17-2t

LOST OR STOLEN—About the 8th of May, from a field opposite the Willows, a bay mare, heavy in foal (will have foaled by this time); no brand; no marks; six years old; medium size or under. Reward offered at Fell & Co., or owner's, Wm. Beaumont, opposite race track, Cadboro Bay road. june 16-3t

WANTED—A widow lady with good reference wishes to get position in nice family as housekeeper; is a good cook and manager; a pleasant home more an object than high wages. Address G., this office. ju 17-1t

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LOST—On Monday, 5th inst., from the neighborhood of the Lansdowne road, a brown mare, with three white feet; branded J N on shoulder; star on forehead. Information will be rewarded by Erskine, Wall & Co., corner Government and Fort streets. je15-tf

WANTED—A girl to assist in light housework and care for children. Apply Mrs. J. Ahearn, 173 Simcoe street. je14-4t

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen tired of Chinese cooking to come and try German cooking at the Vienna, Wilson block, Yates street. Lunch, 35 cts.; with pint of ale, 50 cts.; dinner, 50 cts.; with ale, 65 cts.; with wine, 75 cts. je15-3t

LOST—On Monday afternoon, on Yates street between Douglas and Broad streets, an Irish terrier dog. The finder will be rewarded on returning him to W. & J. Wilson, Government street. je13-tf

FOR SALE—Fine driving horse, quiet and gentle. Apply to Carne & Munsie. je10-1w

WANTED—Agents to sell our choice nursery stock; salary or commission. Address May Brothers, nurserymen, Rochester, N.Y., je10-15t

FOR SALE—A good paying business. Apply E., this office. je9-tf

WANTED—A Partner with small capital. Apply to B., Times office. je8-tf

WANTED—A ward maid. Apply at Jubilee Hospital. je8-tf

TO LET—Well furnished rooms for two or three gentlemen, or with use of kitchen for married couple, at Miss McClandlish's, 63 Superior street, James Bay. je6

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GENTLEMEN TAKE NOTICE—I am getting in a new stock of tweeds and worsteds, and will start in new work, also repairing, cleaning, and altering done on shortest notice. J. McCorkall, 52 Broad street, corner Yates. je5-1m

WANTED—To sell or exchange farm for city property. Shore's hardware store, 57 Johnson street. my20-1m

FOR SALE—350 acres fine farming and timber land in South Saanich, 200 yards from new railway and 10 miles from Victoria; new house and orchard. Will be sold in lots to suit purchaser. Terms, etc., apply to Heisterman & Co., 75 Government street. je2-1m

WANTED—Victoria party having large social and club connections to take the agency of a world-renowned brand of Champagne wine. Liberal terms and great facilities given to the right party. Apply, stating references, to P.O. box 678, Montreal. my27-s-4t

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THE RAFFLE for the Diamond Locket and Scarf Pin at the Wilson Bar, has been postponed until Thursday next, the 22nd inst.

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DECISION OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

A Great Scheme to Tax Incomes of Millionaire.

The Railway Rate War Continues to the Advantage of Travellers—Northern Pacific Comes Down—Ward, the Actor, Sued—General Events in the United States.

Chicago, June 17.—The court of appeals has unanimously decided in favor of open Sundays at the World's Fair. The court holds that the local directory is in full control and that the government has no standing.

The decision means to a certainty that the World's Fair will be kept open on Sunday, and that settles the case for all time, as an appeal would have to go to the supreme court of the United States, which does not meet till October, when the Fair will be ended. Every seat was taken fully one hour before the time announced when the court would decide the case and standing room was filled.

Chief Justice Fuller, in rendering the decision, spoke as follows: "Deeming it desirable that this matter should be disposed of at once, we should announce the result at which we have arrived, postponing for want of time the full expression of our views, which will hereafter be given. The appellants have submitted a motion to dismiss this appeal upon the grounds that the jurisdiction of the circuit court was in issue; that the case involved the construction or application of the constitution of the United States, and that the constitutionality of the law of the United States was called in question therein, that therefore the appeal for a final decree would lie to the supreme court of the United States, and not to this court, and hence this appeal, which is from an interlocutory order, cannot be maintained under section 7 of the judiciary act of March, 1891. We do not understand that the power of the circuit court to determine the case was denied, but that the appellants contended that the United States had not by their appeal made a case properly cognizable in a court of equity; the object was to the want of equity and not to the want of power.

"The jurisdiction of the circuit court was therefore not in issue, and within the intent or meaning of the acts of application of the United States, and the constitutionality of the United States are concerned. We are of the opinion that the order we are called on to review involved or drew in question neither one nor the other, in the sense that the action of the circuit court was invoked. The disposal of the proceedings ofth e disposition of the contention rests upon the ground as to whether the decision had any reference to the construction or application of the constitution or the validity of the acts of congress; conclusions upon which the order was based were invoked as to construction of that character. The jurisdiction of this court of review cannot be defeated at the instance of the appellees, because the constitutionality of the acts upon which they rely might have been challenged by their adversaries. The motion to dismiss is overruled."

Taxing the Millionares.

Topeka, Kas., June 17.—Lieut.-Gov. Daniels will at once enter into the organization of "graduated estate clubs" to educate the people in this method of raising revenues, and at the same time strike a blow at concentrated wealth. He proposes to levy a tax upon all incomes as follows: One per cent. on incomes of $1,000,000 to $2,000,000; three per cent on $2,000,000 to $5,000,000; eight per cent. on $8,000,000 to $10,000,000, and ten per cent. on all over $10,000,000. He estimates that such a tax will create a revenue of about $2,000,000,000, and thus reduce taxation now indirectly paid by the poor people. Clubs will be formed in New York and Pennsylvania by the national committee. It is alleged that they will largely aid in the campaigns of these states.

The Railway Rate War.

New York, June 17.—The Herald says 'Frisco transcontinental rates took another tumble yesterday. The Canadian Pacific railway again carried out its principle of insisting on a differential of 10 per cent. below the rates by any other line between New York and eastern cities and San Francisco. It made a reduction of 10 per cent. below the last class rates announced by the Southern Pacific, the new rates being as follows: First class, $2.02; second, $1.79; third, $1.40; fourth, $1.12; fifth, $1.01; class A, $1.04; class B, $1; class C, $1; class D, $1; and class E, $1. The Southern Pacific will issue tariff to-day meeting these rates of the Canadian Pacific, thus wiping out the differential, which it claims the latter company is not entitled to. It should be said that the Southern Pacific has commodity rates far below the dollar mark, which its rival has not yet essayed to act. It seems plain that the Canadian Pacific will not go below $1.

Eastern Canadian News.

Montreal, June 17.—Benjamin Vanier, a roofer, while working at the corner of King and Common streets yesterday, slipped and fell into a cauldron of boiling tar. He was badly burned on the hands and body, and was taken to Notre Dame hospital in the ambulance.

Quebec, June 17.—Mayor Fremont, now in England, has cabled that he has placed the Quebec city loan of £220,000 satisfactorily on the English market.

Otawa, June 17.—Hon. Mr. Angers was shown a cablegram to-day stating that Glasgow cattlemen did not expect the schedule would be removed against Canada this season. The minister said he had received no such information, but on the contrary was hopeful that Canada would be allowed to ship stock to the old country before very long.

Lacolle, Que., June 17.—The Edy family came to their deaths "by the hands of persons unknown." Such is the decision reached by the coroner's jury which deliberated till late last night, and finally came, as was expected, to the conclusion that there was not the slightest proof against anyone in particular. Except for unforseen accidents or discoveries, this may virtually be considered the last of the affair, and the Beech Ridge murder will go down in the annals of crime as the most mysterious tragedy which ever occurred in Canada.

Sydney, C. B., June 17.—Forest fires are destroying property in every direction. A terrific blaze is sweeping over the country in the vicinity of Welton's Marsh. The crops have suffered largely. The money loss will be enormous.

WILL BE A SUCCESS.

The Great Liberal Convention at Ottawa Promises Well.

Ottawa, June 17.—A letter received from Mr. Laurier to-day states that he will arrive at noon on Monday and will accept the offer of the Liberal association to present him with an address. He also suggests 3 o'clock on the afternoon of Tuesday for the opening of the convention. This will be accepted. It is now expected that there will be about two thousand delegates. Admission will be by ticket. The delegates will get badges, which will admit them. The official delegates will have one color and the alternates another. The delegates will sit in the hall, which will accommodate about three thousand, by provinces, Ontario and Quebec occupying the centre and the other provinces surrounding them. All the provinces will be represented except British Columbia. The premiers of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Ontario will be among the delegates. Premier Mowat is spoken of as chairman, but some one put forward Mr. Joly of Quebec. The convention promises to be a great success.

H. A. Bate was elected president of the Reform club and F. R. Larchford treasurer.

FREE TRADE WANTED.

Petition to Dominion Government—May's Marriage Gift Subscription.

Vancouver, June 17.—Trades and Labor Council last evening passed a resolution favoring free trade with Australia, and petitioning the Dominion Government to curtail expenditures for assisted immigration and in the Indian department. The council also opposes any grant to the British Pacific railway.

Vancouver ladies raised $105 for Princess May's present fund.

Though Judge Bole was announced in county court chambers for yesterday, and the lawyers kept continually dropping into the court house to see if he had arrived, he did not show himself. His action was the cause of much comment.

Passenger Rates Reduced.

St. Paul, Minn., June 17.—The Northern Pacific railway has met the drop in rates announced by the Great Northern, and will, commencing June 18, make the following rates to Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Washington:—From St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth or Superior to Helena or Butte, first-class, $25; second-class, $18. To Spokane, first-class, $30; second-class, $20. To Portland and Tacoma, Seattle and all other North Pacific coast and Puget Sound points, first-class, $35; second-class, $25.

Perturbed Peru.

Lima, Peru, Jan. 17.—The political situation in Peru is very discouraging. Rumors of the proposed uprising by ex-President Peirola, who is planning to overthrow the present government and proclaim himself dictator, have caused alarm. Great Britain, through its minister, has summoned the warship Melpomene to Callao, and the government of Chili, also alarmed, has ordered the cruiser Almirante Cochrane to the seaport nearest the capital. Owing to the disquieting rumors commerce is alarmed, trade paralyzed and the customs revenues diminished. The resources of the government have been crippled by the monthly payment of £5,000 to the Peruvian corporation, under its contract. An evidence of the intensity of the feeling was given this afternoon. Dr. Barriga, editor of a political paper, was shot at in the principal street of this city. He was not hurt, but two policemen were wounded by shots. This is the third attempt to assassinate Dr. Barriga. Congress should meet in preliminary session July 15th, but it is doubtful if the body will be called together.

ON NEW TIME.

Great Northern Train Changes—Amputation of a Thumb.

New Westminster, June 17.—In the lacrosse match between Westminster and Vancouver, the Royal City will be represented by the following:—Goal, B. Peel; point, Brouse; cover point, C. S. Campbell; defence field, Coldwell, J. Lewis; at centre, L. A. Lewis; home field, Oddy, Dalgleish, Ryall; outside home, J. C. Cambridge; inside home, H. Peele.

The new time table will come into force on the Great Northern railway to-morrow. Instead of arriving in the evening, the train will come in at 10:45 a.m., and leave again at 2:30 p.m. Passengers for Seattle will have to stay at Whatcom over night.

Mrs. Jas. Anderson is dead, aged 47. Mr. Anderson was Bank of Montreal messenger for many years.

The water in the river is falling. It went down another inch last night.

John Patterson, a clarionet player in the city band, yesterday had his thumb amputated, a tumor having formed, the size of a turnip. The operation was successful.

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GUATEMALA WILL NOT RATIFY TREATY

Business Paralyzed in Expectation of Renewal of Hostilities.

A Waterspout Floods a Town in Mexico and Many People Drowned—The Result of the German Elections Still Undecided—The Firemen of New York Strike for Eight Hours a Day.

Panama, June 17.—The congress of Guatemala, acting upon the suggestion of President Barrios, has, by an almost unanimous vote, refused to ratify the treaty of peace and friendship drafted by the Central American diet, which convened in the capital of Salvador last year and signed by the plenipotentiaries of the four republics of Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador and Nicaragua, against the protest of the Costa Rican representative. The reasons which prompted the Guatemalan executive and congress to assume this new attitude are unknown.

The failure of the Guatemalan assembly to rectify the work of the Central American peace congress has caused great excitement in Salvador, where it is believed Guatemala is going to interfere in Honduran affairs with a view to annexation.

Gen. Azota has postponed his intended visit to the United States and called the congress of Salvador to meet in extraordinary session to discuss the situation. Business is paralyzed in expectancy of early hostilities. Only the actual necessities of life are bought and sold. Flour has risen to $16 pesetas (gold) per barrel, and custom house importations have decreased 30 per cent. The removal of the capital from Comayagua to Tegucigalapa is announced.

It is understood here that the United States steamer Alliance has been ordered to proceed from here to Peru.

Drowned in a Flood.

City of Mexico, June 17.—The town of Utzurmatlan has been visited by a water spout, which resulted in loss of life and great damage. The water spout burst directly over the town at midnight. In a few minutes the flood had covered the town, the water rising to a depth of four feet in four hours. The people were panic-stricken and attempted to escape. Many men, women and children were drowned. A great many families were made homeless.

The German Elections.

Berlin, June 17.—At three o'clock this afternoon reports have been received from 242 districts; second ballots will be necessary in 122 of them. Of the 120 deputies elected 53 will vote for the bill and 67 against it.

The government organ, Vorwarts, exults over the results of the elections, which, it says, will form a glorious title page to the future aggregate social vote, which promises to exceed two million. The Vorwarts predicted that National-Liberal success would be chiefly in the rich manufacturing towns of western Germany. It is likely, it says, many Anti-Semites will be successful at the expense of the Conservatives, who dry-nurse them. A conspicuous feature of the elections is the overthrow of the Radicals.

London, June 17.—The Times' Berlin correspondent says: Richter sowed the wind and reaped the whirlwind. Berlin and Radical papers are appealing to their friends to close up their ranks to withstand the Socialist onslaught. None ventured to prophecy the final result. Richter's organ still maintains that the only mistake was in not going far enough in opposing the government, and that had they accepted the army bill they would have sustained still greater disaster.

Striking Firemen.

New York, June 17.—The police reserves on duty at the American and Brooklyn sugar refineries on Kent avenue, Williamsburg, were detailed to-day. This action was taken because the firemen's strike for eight hours a day has spread. Seventy-two firemen and 30 helpers went out on Wednesday for the Havemeyer and American companies' refineries. Yesterday the engineers, boiler and motor tenders and all the skilled mechanics who understood the management of the fires, were put to work on the boilers. A few new firemen were engaged, so that last night at 8 o'clock the chief engineer reported that 93 of the 113 immense boilers were in operation. As soon as it was known that the places of the firemen had been filled all the firemen and helpers employed by the Brooklyn sugar refinery, to the number of 32, were ordered out on strike. After banking their fires last night, they stopped work.

Warde the Actor Sued.

St. Louis, June 17.—Daniel R. Bissell and F. Ragburn Bissell, executors of the estate of James R. Bissell, got a judgment in Judge Fisher's court to-day against Frederick Warde, the actor, for $8,230. The suit was instituted in February, 1887, upon the death of James R. Bissell, who was, previous to his death, conducting the Times Printing Co. During 1886 and 1887 Frederick Warde and John J. Collins were interested in a theatrical combination together and contracted for a large amount of show bills and printing, and borrowed money from Bissell, making a total of $11,204, of which $1,314 was paid. The referee who was appointed to adjust the accounts fixed the indebtedness of Mr. Warde at $8,230, which report was approved by Judge Fisher yesterday.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

The Premier Disappoints the Tories—Arbitration With the United States.

London, June 16.—In the House of Commons to-night, Mr. Gladstone, in reply to a question, intimated that there would be no public holiday on the occasion of the marriage of the Duke of York with the Princess May of Teck.

W. H. Cromer, member for Shoreditch, moved "that the House having learned that the United States Congress had authorized the President to conclude treaties of arbitration, expresses the hope that the Government will open negotiations with the view to referring all differences to arbitration."

Right Hon. Sir John Lubbock seconded the motion.

Right Hon. Mr. Gladstone suggested a modification of the resolution by the substitution of the words:—

"That the House of Commons, cordially sympathizing with the purpose in view, hoped that Her Majesty's Government will lend a ready co-operation to the Government of the United States."

The Premier congratulated Mr. Cromer upon his finding a chance to strike in behalf of humanity. Mr. Gladstone, in speaking on Mr. Cromer's motion, reviewed the history of the arbitration movement and reminded the House of President Harrison's address to the Methodist Council in which the President spoke of the limitations to international arbitration and the impossibility of applying it to the feuds of aggrandizement. The Behring Sea tribunal bore testimony, he said, to the earnest attention given to the question in America. After touching upon his own idea of a central tribunal with great powers, Mr. Gladstone concluded with an eloquent appeal for a moderation of the claims as to the most effective means of preserving peace.

The resolution as amended by Mr. Gladstone was unanimously adopted.

Among the interested listeners to Mr. Gladstone's speech was the American ambassador, Mr. Bayard, who occupied a seat in the diplomatic gallery.

Gould's Version of it.

New York, June 16.—Mr. George J. Gould said this morning regarding the report that he is seeking to secure control of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada: "The Grand Trunk railway was offered to me at a price; but I declined it. Those who offered it to me suggested it would be a good branch for the Wabash. There was a meeting at the Savoy hotel four or five weeks ago in regard to the matter, at which Mr. Russell Sage was present. I was sick at the time; that is all there is to the matter. I start for Europe to-morrow on a pleasure trip of from three to six weeks' duration. It is untrue that I am going abroad in relation to any effort to control the Grand Trunk railway. The price asked for the Grand Trunk railway is a matter between the seller and the buyer, and I do not see that I am called upon to tell what it was."

Greek Powder Explodes.

Athens, June 16.—A government powder magazine at Sacramanga, a few miles from this city, exploded to-day. Twenty persons, including officers and soldiers, were killed, and great damage was done to the surrounding property. The Crown Prince has gone to the scene to aid the sufferers. The loss is estimated at 3,000,000 francs.

Another Hawaiian Politician.

Washington, June 16.—Mr. Hastings, secretary of the Hawaiian legation, arrived in Washington last night direct from San Francisco, having left Honolulu June 1. He immediately repaired to the apartments of Minister Thurston, where the two had a long conference over matters in which, as representatives of Hawaii, they are interested. Mr. Hastings will shortly be left in charge of affairs here, for Mr. Thurston will go to Chicago to look after the Hawaiian exhibit at the Exposition. "Another steamer from Japan," said Mr. Hastings, "was expected to touch at Honolulu on the 10th, and will soon be in San Francisco bearing the most recent developments. So far as the anexation sentiment is concerned, I can only say that it is growing daily. There has never been any intention on the part of Mr. Blount, either as commissioner or minister, to restore the royalists to power. We believe when Mr. Blount submits his report it will be found to coincide with the views of those who have the welfare of the islands at heart. The provisional government has the confidence of the people.

The Horse-Killing Contest.

Lone Pine, Neb., June 16.—Jim Stephens of Kansas, Hoe Gillespie of Davis county, and Doc Middleton of Chadron, Neb., the first arrivals in the cowboy race, reached the Dwinell house and registered at 4:45 in the order named. Jim Stephens only remained a few minutes. Gillespie started at 5:07 and Middleton at 5:10. Their horses were all in splendid condition. Albright of Crawfordford came in at 5:30 and rested for 30 minutes and then went on. His horse seemed to be in excellent condition, but Paul Fontaine, of the Royal Humane Society, says that they need sleep. He says Doc Middleton's horses are in the best condition. These four riders slept in the Sand Hills, 12 miles west of Wood Lake, last night. They will reach O'Neill about 10 a. m. on June 17th, and make their second register. The ladies along the route are pulling hairs from the manes and tails of the horses as mementoes. If they have a hair left when they reach Chicago it will be surprising.

Lizzie Borden's Trial.

New Bedford, Mass., June 16.—The tenth day of the Borden murder trial opened with a big crowd. The prisoner was overwhelmed with floral offerings and appeared in excellent spirits yesterday. The witnesses, who were druggists, testified as to the use of prussic acid. The defence vigorously contested every point in the prosecutors' testimony, which went to show that the acid was not used for other than medicinal purposes and was unsuitable for cleaning furs, the purpose for which Miss Borden said she wanted it. Finally the court excluded all testimony in regard to the purchase of prussic acid. The commonwealth then rested its case here.

After recess Mr. Jennings opened the case for the defence. He said they would show the previous spotless character of the prisoner, and absence of intent, purpose or opportunity. The defense would show that the relatoins between the father and daughter excluded a motive for killing him, and a motive to kill the stepmother alone not enough, for the prosecution's claim was that the same person killed both. He said the evidence against the prisoner contained no particle of direct testimony, but was wholly and absolutely circumstantial. Continuing, he said: "We shall show you that there were others about the house on the day of the murder and that people were in the barn and all over it before it was examined. We shall show you that the dress was soiled with paint early in May, and was burned without any deception of the officer or other witnesses about. The prisoner had on the very dress she said she wore, and we shall ask you to consider that no blood was found upon it or her."

Russo-American Treaty.

New York, June 16.—A number of well-known ladies and gentlemen of this city, who believe that the extradition treaty recently entered into between the United States and Russia was signed because of a misunderstanding and misrepresentation, met this afternoon. After an informal discussion it was decided to form an organization, which shall be the nucleus of a national body. A constitution was adopted, and the local organization was named "The Society for the Abrogation of the Russian Treaty." The object of the society is to arouse public opposition to the extradition treaty, and to use every means to induce President Cleveland to take steps for its abrogation. Among the members of the new society are: Francis C. Barlow, Wm. E. Dodge, Wm. Watson Gilder, Wm. Lloyd Garrisno, I. Strauss, Jesse Seligman, Thomas A. Edison, John Fisk, Charles S. Fairchild, Everett P. Wheeler, Wm. R. Grace, Wm. D. Howell, Charles Scribner, John Claflin, Spencer Trask, J. E. Edwards, Francis Baker and Orlando B. Potter.

Eulalia's Ordeal.

New York, June 16.—The Infanta Eulalia and party arrived in this city from the World's Fair at 8:14 this evening. A considerable crowd had gathered at the Grand Central depot to meet the princess. A long row of palms and potted plants lined the carpeted platform and an awning covered the sidewalk. A special detail of police kept the crowd back. Mr. J. M. Ceballos, who has placed his house at the disposal of the Infanta, was on hand to receive her and his carriage was at the door. Mr. Ceballos has his servants and a complete establishment at the command of the princess for the time of her stay in New York. This was done in order to give her a better opportunity for rest and greater privacy than could be had at a hotel. Commander Davis said this morning that his duties ended the moment the princess' foot touched the platform. The nation is no longer the host, and the princess is absolutely free from official obligations of any kind. The princess will enjoy herself in a quiet way during her stay in this city. She will accept a few invitations to private entertainments, and will make a yachting trip to Newport and some of the near-by points. A policeman will be on guard in front of the Ceballos residence. The princess will be at home to a number of her friends on Sunday.

Monks Caught Monkeying.

St. Petersburg, June 16.—The Church of Chadoy monastery, which is within the walls of the Kremlin, was recently robbed of a vast amount of plate, money and gems. The plate had just been used in ceremonies attendant upon the reception to the Czar and had not been returned to the vaults, where it was usually kept. The property and money taken amounted in value to between 2,500,000 and 3,000,000 roubles. To-day all the monks belonging to the monastery were arrested and a search of the cells occupied by the monks revealed that they had perpetrated the robbery. Secreted in the cells were found diamonds and other gems, which had been hastily torn from their settings, and holy robes and holy vestments made of precious metals. A charge of sacrilege has been made against the monks. This is a crime which is punishable in Russia with the most severe penalty. Aside from the scandal arising from the robbery and arrests, another cause for gossip has been given through the fact that the police who are searching the monastery for stolen property learned beyond dispute that a number of women have been living secretly with the monks for a considerable time.

WILHELM'S PET BILL.

Is Disapproved by the People—Richterites Far in the Rear.

Berlin, June 16.—The two most conspicuous features of to-day's electoral returns have been the continued reports of Social Democratic gains in the Richterist districts. Most of the news still comes from the city constituencies, and the list of Opposition deputies grows rapidly. This afternoon, however, dispatches from agricultural districts revealed the other side of the page. From all that can now be ascertained, it is reasonably sure to conclude that the Government certainly has lost nothing by the dissolution and probably has won a little. At 10 o'clock this evening the returns may be summarized thus: In 180 districts from which reports had been received at 10 o'clock, 85 deputies had been elected. In the remaining, 95 new ballots will be necessary. Of the 85 deputies elected 36 will vote with the Government, and 49 against it. The parties siding with the Government had lost three seats to the Opposition. The parties working against the Government had evened matters by losing the same number of seats to the friends of the army bill. The Conservatives had elected 17 deputies; the Social Democrats, 23; the Clericals, 20; the Radicals, 1; Free Conservatives, 4; Poles, 8; Democrats, 5; Anti-Semites, 2; Independents, 2 (both favoring the bill); Government Clericals, 1; National Liberals, 2.

No one immediate supporter of Eugene Richter, the Anti-Government Radical supporter, had been elected. The Conservatives had won two seats formerly held by the Conservatives. The Social Democrats had gained three seats from the Richterists and one from the Free Conservatives. The Liberal Clericals had gained one from the Government Clericals, and had lost one to them. The Radical Unionists had elected one deputy, who voted against the army bill, but will vote for it in the next Reichstag. The Free Conservatives have gained two seats and lost three. The Democrats have gained one seat from the National Liberals. The National Liberals had gained two seats and lost three. The most interesting feature in the new ballots reported until now will probably be the gains of the Social Democrats and Radical Unionists.

Several small elections in the provinces were marked by riots to-day. In Strasburg last evening, shortly after the poll was announced, about 2000 Socialists began parading the streets and shouting for their candidate, August Bebel. They refused to disperse when the police attacked them, and many cheered for France. The military eventually broke up the procession and arrested eight men. Nobody was injured. In Reutlinget, Wurtemberg, the police slashed and arrested many Social Democrats who attacked the police station. In Gruenberg, Silesia, the Socialists rioted through the streets. The police dispersed them with drawn sabres, and arrested the leaders. In this city the police arrestned Herr Landeauer, an anarchist editor, on the charge of inciting to riot.

Later returns from Arenswelde show that Ahlwardt, the Jew baiter, now imprisoned because he libelled the Loewses, makers of small arms, has a clear majority over all, and is therefore elected.

At 2 o'clock this morning returns had been received from 220 out of 391 electoral districts. In 98 candidates were elected, but in 122 second ballots will be necessary. The National Liberals, Conservatives, and Clericals are holding their own. The Richter Radicals remain very far behind. Of the 98 deputies already elected 42 are counted for the bill and 56 against it. Since the reports received up to 10 o'clock were sent out the dispatches showed that the Government gained two more seats and had lost one more old one.

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BY-LAW NO. 195.

A BY-LAW

WHEREAS it is expedient to borrow the sum of $85,000 for educational purposes;

And whereas, for the purpose aforesaid, it is intended to raise, by way of loan upon the credit of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, the sum of $85,000;

And whereas it will require the sum of $4,580 to be raised annually by rate for the payment of the new debt and interest;

And whereas the whole ratable land and improvements or real property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll for the year 1892, is $18,749,126;

And whereas it will require an annual rate of one-quarter of a mill in the dollar for paying the new debt and interest;

And whereas this by-law may not be altered or repealed, except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1.—It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow, upon the credit of the said Corporation, by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $85,000, currency or sterling money, at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2.—It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $85,000, either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling), as may be required, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

3.—The said debentures shall bear date the 3rd day of July, 1893, and shall be made payable in fifty years from the said date, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed, or lithographed.

4.—The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly, at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the debenture and coupon.

5.—It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said debentures and the interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

6.—For the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of $3,825, and for the purpose of the sum of $3,825, and for the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the debt at maturity, there shall be raised annually the sum of $755.

7.—For the purpose of payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned, there shall be raised and levied in each year a rate of one-quarter of one mill in the dollar on all ratable land and improvements in the City of Victoria, during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

8.—This by-law shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation, in the manner provided for in the "Municipal Act, 1892," and the amendment thereto, and shall take effect on the 3rd day of July, 1893.

9.—This by-law may be cited as the "Educational Loan By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council on the 15th of May, 1893.

Received the assent of the electors the 1st day of June, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council the 5th day of June, 1893.

(L.S.) ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 5th day of June, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

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NOTICE

The partnership heretofore existing between John Coigdarripe and Luke Pither, carrying on business on Yates street, in the city of Victoria, under the firm name of Boucherat & Co., wine and spirit merchants, was dissolved on the 1st day of April last by mutual consent, Max Leiser having purchased the interest of John Coigdarripe in the said firm.

The business of the firm will be continued by Messrs. Luke Pither and Max Leiser, upon the same premises under the firm name of Pither & Leiser, successors to Boucherat & Co., and they have assumed all the liabilities of the old firm.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1893.

J. COIGDARRIPE.
LUKE PITHER.
MAX LEISER.

Witness:—
GEORGE JAY, Jr. je14-1m

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A BY-LAW

Relating to the Building of a Sidewalk on the South Side of Oak Bay Avenue, in the City of Victoria, being a Local Improvement Proposed to be Made by the Corporation of Victoria.

WHEREAS the Corporation of the City of Victoria have by resolution determined to build a sidewalk on the south side of Oak Bay avenue from Cadboro Bay road to the City boundary;

And whereas the building of the said sidewalk is a local improvement;

And whereas under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1892, the Council of the said Corporation have duly passed the said Local Improvement By-Law, 1892, being a by-law to provide for the assessment of real property benefitted by local improvements;

And whereas, in pursuance of Sections 4 and 5 of the said Local Improvement By-Law, 1892, the City Engineer and Assessor have made their report as thereby required, which report has been submitted to and has been approved and adopted by the said Council;

And whereas it has been ascertained and determined that the real property hereinafter set forth, referred to in schedule "D" in the said report, will be immediately benefitted by such proposed improvement; and whereas the sum of $969.23 is the amount of the costs of the said proposed improvement;

And whereas under and by virtue of Sections 273 and 274 of the Municipal Act, 1892, and of Section 18 of the said Local Improvement By-Law, 1892, the said Council are authorized to proceed with the proposed improvement under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine;

And whereas the said Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria are desirous of passing a by-law for the purposes mentioned;

THERFFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1.—That the said report and plan be adopted, and that the proposed improvement in building a sidewalk along the south side of Oak Bay avenue from Cadboro Bay road to the City boundary, be made and carried out in accordance therewith.

2.—That the real property which is immediately benefitted by the said improvement shall be that which is particularly mentioned and described in Sub-section "D" of the said recited report as therein appears, which is as follows:—

Sub-Section D, showing the proportion in which the assessment is to be made on the various lots benefited:

Lot.	Block.	Feet frontage	Rate per foot.	Amount	Remarks
1	1 Fernwood	59½	20c	10 10	Cadboro & Oak bays
1	J Sec. 74	48.8	20c	9 73	McGregor & Oak B
2	do	55.4	20c	11 07	do
3	do	55.5	20c	11 08	Terrace & Oak bay
4	J Sec 74	55.6	20c	11 10	do do
5	do	55.4	20c	11 07	do
6	do	55.4	20c	11 07	do
7	H S'c 74	65	20c	13 00	do
6	do	65	20c	13 00	do
5	do	60	20c	12 00	do
4	do	60	20c	12 00	do
3	do	60	20c	12 00	do
2	do	60	20c	12 00	do
1	do	60	20c	12 00	Belcher & Oak bay
2 of 1	1 Sec 74	57	20c	11 40	do do
1 of 1	do	57	20c	11 40	do
1 of 2	do	47	20c	9 40	do
2 of 2	do	47	20c	9 40	Cross and Oak Bay
3 of 3	do	47	20c	9 40	do do
4 of 3	do	47	20c	9 40	do
4	do	114	20c	22 80	Richmond & Oak B
1	2 Sec 74	133.5	20c	22 68	do do
1 of 2	do	46.10	20c	9 37	do
2 of 2	do	46.10	20c	9 37	Calder & Oak Bay
13—3	do	46.10	20c	9 37	do do
14—3	do	46.10	20c	9 37	do
4	do	114	20c	22 80	Clare and Oak Bay
1	3 Sec 74	59.11	20c	12 00	Clare and Oak Bay
2	do	59.11	20c	12 00	do
13	do	59.11	20c	12 00	do
14	do	59.11	20c	12 00	Wilson and Oak B
25	do	59.11	20c	12 00	do do
26	do	59.11	20c	12 00	do
37	do	59.11	20c	12 00	do
38	do	59.11	20c	12 00	Davie and Oak Bay
1	5 Sec 74	68	20c	12 00	do do
2	do	60	20c	12 00	do
24	do	60	20c	12 00	do
23	do	60	20c	12 00	Hulton and Oak B.
26	do	60	20c	12 00	do do
25	do	60	20c	12 00	do
48	do	60	20c	12 00	do
47	do	60	20c	12 00	Amphion and O B.
49	do	60	20c	12 00	do do
50	do	80.9	20c	16 18	
2	1 Fernwood	89½	20c	16 10	Foul Bay and O. B.
31	do	60	20c	12 00	Cadboro B and O.B
30	do	50	20c	10 00	do
29	do	50	20c	10 00	do
28	do	50	20c	10 00	do
27	do	50	20c	10 00	Morrison and O. B.
22	do	60	20c	12 00	do do
19	2 Fernwood	67½	20c	13 50	Belcher and Oak B
20	do	67½	20c	13 50	do do
21	3 Fernwood	67½	20c	13 50	Jubilee and Oak B
22	do	67½	20c	13 50	do do
16	4-5 F'nwood	67½	20c	13 50	Richmond and O B
34	do	67½	20c	13 50	do do
53	do	67½	20c	13 50	Bank st and Oak B
75	do	67½	20c	13 50	do do
	6 Fernwood	330	20c	66 00	do
	Part 7, F'wood	135	20c	27 00	Dudley & Oak Bay
14—3	7-9 F'nwood	67½	20c	13 50	do do
13—3	do	67½	20c	13 50	do
12—3	do	56½	20c	11 30	do
11—3	do	56½	20c	11 30	Hulton & Oak Bay
14—2	do	56½	20c	11 30	do do
13—2	do	56½	20c	11 30	do
12—2	do	56½	20c	11 30	do
11—2	do	56½	20c	11 30	Amphion & Oak B
14—1	do	57½	20c	11 45	do do
13—1	do	57½	20c	11 45	do
12—1	do	57½	20c	11 45	do
11—1	do	57½	20c	11 45	Foul Bay & Oak B
Total cost					$969 23

3.—That the shares and proportions in which the estimated cost of making the said proposed improvement shall be assessed on the various portions of the real property benefitted thereby as mentioned and set out in the said Sub-section "D" of the said report, and the said real property and portions of real property therein mentioned are therey assessed accordingly with the payment of the said amount set opposite each said portion of real property in the said Sub-section "D" mentioned.

4.—The amount of the said special rate assessed as aforesaid against each lot or part of lot respectively shall be levied and collected and be paid on or before the 3rd day of July, 1893, and in default thereof shall bear interest from and after such date at the rate of six per cent. per annum until paid, and may be recovered together with all costs in that behalf forthwith after default by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the person liable for such rate or by sale of the whole or a part of the real property so charged, but in the event of any sale of real property or any part thereof 10 days' notice thereof published daily in one newspaper circulating in the municipality shall be given.

5.—This By-Law may be cited as "The Oak Bay Avenue Improvement Assessment By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the fifteenth day of May, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council the first day of June, 1893.

(L.S.) ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the first day of June, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO 18.

To Take Effect at 8.00 a.m. on Monday, May 1st, 1893.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND. READ UP.

No. 1 Passenger Daily. Ar.	No. 1 Passenger Daily. Lv.	STATIONS	No. 3 Passenger Daily except Saturdays & Sundays. Ar.	No. 3 Passenger Daily except Saturdays & Sundays. Lv.	Miles from Wellington.
12.25 P M	Ar.	VICTORIA	8.00 P M	Lv.	72
12.20 "	"	RUSSELLS	7.56 "	"	71
12.10 "	"	ESQUIMALT	7.48 "	"	70
11.45 A M	"	GOLDSTREAM	7.25 "	"	68
11.10 "	"	SUMMIT SIDING	6.50 "	"	63
10.50 "	"	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	6.27 "	"	57
10.35 "	"	COBBLE HILL	6.15 "	"	53
10.21 "	"	MCPHERSONS	6.5 "	"	49
10.11 "	"	KOKSILAH	5.60 "	"	42
10.06 "	"	DUNCANS	5.32 "	"	39
9.36 "	"	SOMENOS	5.03 "	"	29
9.15 "	"	CHEMAINUS	5.15 "	"	19
8.54 "	"	OYSTER BAY SIDG	"	"	6
8.30 "	Dp.	NANAIMO	4.42 "	"	
8.10 "	Ar.	WELLINGTON	4.20 "	Dp.	

NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN.

No. 2 Passenger Daily. Dp.	No. 2 Passenger Daily. Ar.	STATIONS	No. 4 Passenger Fridays, Saturdays & Sundays. Dp.	No. 4 Passenger Fridays, Saturdays & Sundays. Ar.	Miles from Victoria.
8.05 A M	Dp.	VICTORIA	3.01 P M	Ar.	1
8.36 "	"	RUSSELLS	3.09 "	"	4
8.44 "	"	ESQUIMALT	3.16 "	"	11
8.59 "	"	GOLDSTREAM	3.36 "	"	20
9.34 "	"	SUMMIT SIDING	4.03 "	"	28
9.51 "	"	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	4.27 "	"	35
9.61 "	"	COBBLE HILL	4.37 "	"	41
10.07 "	"	MCPHERSONS	4.49 "	"	45
10.15 "	"	KOKSILAH	4.59 "	"	49
10.22 "	"	DUNCANS	5.04 "	"	52
10.46 "	"	SOMENOS	5.22 "	"	62
10.56 "	"	CHEMAINUS	5.32 "	"	68
11.20 "	Ar.	OYSTER BAY SIDG	5.59 "	"	69
11.50 "	Dp.	NANAIMO	"	"	73
12.14 P M	Ar.	WELLINGTON	6.22 "	Ar.	6.34	78.

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TIME TABLE NO. 20,

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For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney, Friday at 7 o'clock.

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For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender Island and Sidney Thursday at 7 o'clock.

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May 23, 1893. m26-1m

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London, June 5, 1893.—During the somewhat extended period in which I actually lived the daily life of a costermonger in London, many interesting observations and experiences, aside from those connected with the immediate concerns of buying and hawking vegetables, fish, flesh and fowl, were naturally resultant from my association with "Slumpsy Jem," the coster, and his wife Becky, and what may be regarded as the aristocratic coster society, to which our signal financial success speedily gave us admittance.

It may not have been an original discovery on my part, but I was soon convinced of the correctness of a curious series of surmises growing out of much previous observation and study of the habits, manners and speech of London folk in general; a conclusion which seems worthy of extended discussion by others more able to make exact and authoritative comparison. This was, in brief, that the generic things we call "cockneyisms," in speech and manners, really have their origin chiefly among London costermongers.

It is exceedingly difficult to make this clear to those who have not lived in London and also in large cities of other countries, long enough to have caught that exceedingly winsome feature of all great, old and compact communities, which, for a better name, may be called "local color." Observations will nearly always disclose it to largely consist of the reflexive influence upon higher classes from unique or outlandish lower classes, that genial diablerie and humerous or tragic realism of the lowly almost instantly transformed into the wit, humor, repatree and "slang" of those above them; until, in degree, habit of speech, form of the commoner colloquial expressions and even distinctive mannerisms, become fixed and characteristic with and upon that grade of folk closest in mind, feeling and vocation to the characterful lowly people whom they have consciously or unconsciously imitated.

Thus I have heard in noted Paris salons and common jibes of the canaille and boulevardieres, from lips quite unconscious of their origin; in American clubs and drawing-rooms countless cant and patter expressions already long previously discarded in New York's Bowery slums, where they first took form; in the finest Edinburgh homes, the wise, curt and droll sayings of Newhaven fish-wives and the denizens of Cowgate and Grassmarket; and from London concert halls, up through London clubs, past English castles and noblemen's city homes, to the floor of Parliament itself, the latest epithet and newest catch-phrase of London costermongers, coined by my coster friends in moments of "four-ale" inspiration at free smoking-room concerts, at "penny-gaffs," or in valiant blackguarding battles with Covent Garden porters and the glib-tongued "mobbers" or fish-carriers of ancient and odorous Billingsgate.

As to "cockney" London folk high and low, clear and distinct lines may be drawn. The coster is the typical, indeed the genuine, cockney. His vernacular, which is so outlandish that one has to have long acquaintance with it to understand it at all, is not slang, because it is his original and unaffected mode of expression. His swagger, his unctious oaths, his terrible objurgations, his impulsive generosity, his reckless gambling, his fondness for pets, his roving ways within the great city, his grotesque apparel, his aversion to a fixed habitation, his suspicion of anything savoring of religion, his unconquerable Agnosticism, his self-reliance, his fatalism, his fondness for his kind and kin and yet his seeming brutality in all domestic relations, his hardness and his tenderness, and his almost stern and Spartan loyalty to his friends, his race and his traditions, are all inexplicable and tantalizing to one studying his character little or long; but they are absolutely and inviolably his own. There is not an iota of pretense, hypocrisy or affectation about him. Because of this, millions of London lowly next him in the social scale, have in from 400 to 500 years' time been unconscious imitators of much of his speech, some of his manners, a good deal of his swagger and bluster, and not a little of his hardness and brutality. All these latter folk are often generically regarded as "cockneys." But their cockneyism is assumed, copied, unreal. Consequently it is as offensive to the intelligent Englishman, who often errs in mistaking it for the genuine article exclusively possessed by the costermongers, as it is to the wondering American, who knows nothing whatever about its origin.

There is another class of folk in London and throughout England immeasurably less in number and real importance but inexpressibly more omnipresent and offensive, who masquerade as "cockneys" and who, more than all others, bring the true coster cockney into permanent disrepute. They are a sort of chromo cockneys when the genuine Turneresque reds and solemn Millet grays of the true cockney coster are brought into analytic comparison. They comprise a mixed and murrained multitude of London men-about-town, answering somewhat to the dude Cholly Wobblers of America—young noblemen and other choice aristocrats who "go in for a long and a strong pull, y' kneouw." To these are added a few flash journalists, I am sorry to say, fellows who are on the outskirts of even the lowest London Bohemias; not many actors, for London actors are almost invariably London gentlemen; some hangers-on of clubs; all pugilists, sprinters, horsemen, jockeys and professional sporting men generally; thousands of music-hall performers and the other thousands of "Tommy Rots" gulped out of the free smoking room concerts of the public houses, who are found every Monday morning at their weekly "Poverty Junction" symposium at the corner of York and Waterloo roads; and tens of thousands more of London clerks and apprentices—vacuous and vainglorious "Simon Tappertits"—filled with fine frenzy and mock heroics that they may ever bear the, to them, true British stamp of the cock-sure cockneys and beery ruffians of the hour.

All of these chromo cockneys never open their mouths without effort to outdo their moral and mental superiors, the costermongers. They occasionally break loose from their London environment and travel in Ireland, in Scotland, on the continent and in America. Their oaths are "Strike me lucky!" "Gor bli me!" and other unprinted coster imprecations. Their ejaculations are "Gawd's truth!" and the like. Their qualifying and emphasizing adjectives are "blawsted," "bloomin'," and "bloody." A good man or thing is "a rum un." A shilling is a "bob;" a sovereign is a "quid;" a donkey is a "moke;" a cab-horse a "cat's-meat;" to drink liquor is to "take a wet;" a glass of ale is a "tankard o' bitter;" everyone accosted is "guv-er-nor;" and a woman is a "donah" or a "cow." This sort of thing may possess a certain sociological and literary interest when confined to the characterful class from which it emanates; but every one of these pretentious cockneys, whether met in London or on their ruffianly travels about the world, should be set down for precisely what they are. They are no more representative Englishmen than a New York dude, carrying the manner, epithets and clothing of a Bowery boy about the world, would be a typical American. They are simply cads; a disgrace to intelligent English people and an insulting human parody upon the ignorant though sturdy and genuine costermongers they sadly mimic, possessing more than all their vices and totally lacking the least of their humble virtues.

The longer one studies these curious lowly folk of London, the greater is the wonder that they have not proven a more fruitful subject for the novelist or at least for such masters of character painting as Thackeray, Read and Dickens. They have always been utilized as the butt of quips and quirks by the penny-a-liner, the wits of Punch, the newspaper paragraphers, and, in a low sort of way, to raise the loudest guffaws at the myriad music-halls of London. But not until quite recently had their character been seriously studied by a man of real genius, or their weaknesses, virtues and traits appealing to universal human recognition, been portrayed by a man of subtle perception and ardent sympathies.

That man is Albert Chevalier. Of French, Welsh and Irish extraction, he was destined by his parents for the priesthood. But instead he became a successful actor of the legitimate comedy under the Bancrofts, the Kendals and later at the Court theatre under Manager Hare. In time he found himself a popular leading comedian without an engagement. Offers came to him for engagements in burlesque as second comedian. This was going backward; something a London actor cannot afford to do. Some of his work in comedy had brought him among the costermongers for character study; and he remembered that any song he had sung in his various characters bearing on these droll folk, had been received with peculiar favor. He suddenly resolved to turn music-hall singer, a resolution which carried out in London ordinarily means complete social ostracism. But from the time this determination was reached, Chevalier must be considered in the light of poet, composer and singer. He continued his coster studies with a positive genius, a splendid education and a successful actor's alert perception of what is necessary, as with the painter, to not only reveal by true realism, but to reveal in the subtler power of suggestion, behind them; and the result was that since the first singing of "The Coster's Serenade" at the London Pavilion, in February, 1891, he has held the extraordinary position of being the only performer upon any stage, so unique in his line of rendition and so masterful in his artistic skill as to prevent the slightest attempt at rivalry.

He is but 30 years of age, yet his income from his nightly performances at four leading London music-halls and from royalties on his songs is from $600 to $1000 per week—nearly equaling the salary of the President of the United States; and all this from merely discovering the costermongers of London and revealing them to the people of London. It has been done in a way to reach their hearts as well as their sense of humor lastingly, as is shown in the fact that his present engagements are permanent for a period of five years. He is a quiet, studious fellow, and while his incomparable success has opened to him the doors of the great and noble houses in London, where his genuine scholarship and refinement would render him a social acquisition without the glamour of success, he leads a modest life in his own pretty home alongside the Thames, almost under the shadow of Windsor Castle, where his books, his punt and fishing rod are his chief companions.

This much regarding the man's personality. To convey to others who are unacquainted with costermongers themselves, the peculiar conditions of London life and society which makes it possible for a man to derive a princely income from creating and interpreting—for Chevalier is more than a mere singer upon the stage—two or three coster songs each year, is a difficult task. London is almost a world in itself. Its costers, distinctive in character, vocation, speech, traits, habits and customs, had previously remained an almost unknown people to what may be regarded as intellectual London. If Charles Dickens were living and had written a great work of fiction in which coster life and love had been delineated so powerfully that all London stood amazed at its own ignorance of its own lowly, the coster man and woman could not have been more firmly set upon the pedestals of sentiment than has Chevalier placed them, through his strong flash-lights and bold, broad strokes of delineation in character representation and song. He has brought to almost universal attention the mirthful and serious sides of coster character. He has shown that there are coster comedy and tragedy like that possible to your life and mine. In one after another of his marvelous song impersonations like "The Coster's Serenade," "The Coster's Courtship," "The Future Mrs. 'Awkins," "Wot Cher," "The Nasty Way 'E Sez It," and "Our Little Nipper," he has brought the very heart throbbings of this uncouth class, often through pathetic tenderness, so close to those of his hearers, that the great London public, from 'prentice boy to prince, have awakened to the fact that costers are actually human creatures, possessing at least some of the common attributes of humankind.

Chevalier found that the costers really made love to each other; that there were rude Romeos and Juliets among them; and such hints as these are given of the gentle passion between pearl-buttoned Jackeys and their "donahs:"—

You ain't forgotton yet that night in May,
Down at the Welsh 'Arp, w'ich is 'Endon way?
You fancied winkles an' a pot o' tea;
"Four 'alf," I murmured, "'s good enough for me;
Give me a word of 'ope that I may win"—
You prods me gently with the winkle pin.
We was as 'appy as could be that day,
Down at the Welsh 'Arp, w'ich is Endon way.

"Wot Cher" is an inimitable delineation of the coster in his roystering, hilarious mood. "The Nasty Way 'E Sez It," which has been pirated and put to ignoble use in America, though told in the uncouth coster way of a sneering, fault-finding "pal," is a most wonderful satire on that omnipresent class of croakers who descend like harpies upon all well-earned comfort and content. His latest creation, "Our Little Nipper," discloses the coster parental love for and pride in the coster boy, who is assiduously "taught" by his radiant father

"Not in books, of course, for them 'e can't abide"—
"But in artful little Ikey's little ways
As makes the people sit up w'ere we stays."

Chevalier's influence has been healthful and good. While, as in London parlance, coster stock is looking up, there is decidedly less of imitated cockneyism and coster slang among the lowly, and less every-day buffoonery among the cockney cads of London. Defining and revealing costers as a class have brought them into line for social and literary contemplation. This of itself gradually tends to confine imitators to a very low class of minds whose influence upon manners and speech is without weight, and delineators to a very high order of intellect, as with Chevalier, with painters and with novelists, who will do the costers no harm, and who will mist the public's eye or touch the public's heart in a way that always makes it better for a thrill of mirth or sadness.

Chevalier's coster dialect is admirably clean; too clean to be the real thing; but he uses enough of their original expressions to place the real coster before his great audiences. From having lived and toiled among them, my note-books are full of their curious forms of speech. They cannot be reproduced in print owing to their terrible profanity and awful commingling of obscenity; while it must be remembered that the coster is absolutely unconscious of either, and would instantly "put up his fivers" to any one who would seriously intimate that he was not scrupulously respectful and polite. They are all men and women, wonderful whistlers, and they have an odd sort of call and answer, a monotone accentuated thus:—

"Ta-ta-ta! ta-ta! ta-ta-ta?"
"Ta-ta-ta! ta-ta!"

In their greetings they are most effusive.

"Chy-lke!—an' 'ow air ye, ol' pal?"
"Cherry ripe, guv-er-nor! Gor bli me, an' 'ow does you feel?"
"Strike me lucky!—cigarnet. An' you?"
"Gawd's truth, cul, cigarnet."

I have tried hard to discover the forbears of "cigarnet," but have so far failed. Its use is universal among the costers, and means superlatively good, correct, pat and timely.

Here is a single specimen of coster dialect pure as a lilac tassel in comparison with their ordipary conversation. I overheard it as a coster was relating to a companion his discomfiture in an attempt to borrow a shilling.

"Gawd strike me lucky, but H'I awsked 'im for th' loan o' a bob, 'n' bloody heyes stuck hout like bleedin' mussels; Gor bli me, so they did!"

"Strike me lucky!" "Gawd's truth!" and "Gor bli me!" are their favorite, indeed their endless, imprecations. The latter means, "may God belie, or disown, me!" It is needless to say that they have no idea whatever of its significance. But from the age of speech to that of speechlessness no coster man or woman ever opened mouth without uttering this self-imposed anathema.

EDGAR L. WAKEMAN.

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Commissariat, Stores, Hotel Offices and Wagon Road now in course of construction, and an increasing daily business is being transacted. Alternate daily communication from Revelstoke, B.C., via Canadian Pacific Railway, and Northport, U.S., from all points south by the Spokane Falls & Northern Railway.

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Notice to Contractors.

Tenders will be received until Monday, the 19th inst., at 4 p.m., at the office of the undersigned for the construction of a main brick drain on Cook and View Streets and certain tributary drains.

Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the City Engineer, City Hall, on and after Monday, the 12th inst.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., June 8, 1893.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

INCORPORATED 1890.

The Third Annual Meeting of the donors and subscribers to the Institution will be held at the City Hall, on Friday, the 30th day of June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

BUSINESS—Receiving the Annual Report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's Statement for the year ending 1st June; likewise the election of six Directors.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation, the six remaining First Directors, representing the subscribers and donors, retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary,
Care Yates & Jay, Bastion St.
Victoria, B.C., 13th June, 1893. td

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" Japan	"	"	Aug. 28

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Notice to Contractors, Builders, Etc.

Tenders will be received on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon of Wednesday, the 21st of June instant, for executing Minor Works and Repairs at the Naval Establishments at Esquimalt.

Plans, specifications and conditions of contract may be seen at the office of the Clerk of Works in this yard.

Tenders to be endorsed "Works" and addressed to the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, Etc.
Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 7th June, 1893. ju-7td

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Municipal.

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of Dogs are requested to take notice that the tax for the year 1893 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due. The Provision of the Pound By-Law and the Revenue By-Law, 1889, will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized to collect the above tax.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

Victoria, B.C., City Collector's Office,
City Hall April 29th, 1893.

Municipal Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor in regard to the grading of and laying sidewalks upon Stanley Avenue, between Fort Street and Mr. Andean's property, and Montrose Avenue, between Blackwood and Jones Streets, Showing the proportion in which the assessment is proposed to be made on the various portions of the real property benefited by the said improvements respectively, in accordance with the "Local Improvement By-Law," are now open for inspection at the Office of the City Assessor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., March 30th, 1893.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Section 12 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-Law, 1885," which provides that

From the first day of April to the 13th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling, except during the hours between 5 o'clock in the evening and 9 o'clock in the following morning, and on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In Central Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays;

In South Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

In North Ward, on Wednesday and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Waterworks shall not be used for irrigating or street sprinkling outside the limits of the said City.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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City Clerk's Office,
Victoria B.C., June 5th, 1893.

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THOMAS HOOPER
ARCHITECT.
Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government street. jy5-tf

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ARCHITECT,
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
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SOCIETIES.

B. C. ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY.
Meetings are held at 7.30 p.m., on the first Friday in every month, at the Pioneer Hall, Broad Street. The aims of the Society are the bringing together of Englishmen for their mutual benefit and the maintenance of the British Connection. JNO. J. AUSTIN, Secretary.
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B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS
Court Vancouver No. 5755, A.O.F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each in Foresters' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited.
fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE,
No. 1, A. F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja16 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE
No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy26 J. A. BROWN, Secretary.

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Chapter, No. 139, G.R.C. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. R. LANGLEY, Scribe K.
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FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1,
Regular convention every Friday evening at Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad street. Sojourning Knight are cordially invited to attend. R. PFERDNER, E. of R. & S.
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Society meets in their own hall, Blanchard St., on the first Friday in every month. All Scotsmen are invited to join. R. C. SMITH, Secretary.

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Victoria, June 12, 1893.

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Sons of Erin
Dominion Day
July 1st, 1893.

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The Daily Times.

MARITIME DISCONTENT.

Reference has already been made to the address delivered by Rev. Wm. McIntosh, of Yarmouth, N. S., at a recent meeting of the Congregational union in London, Ont. According to a fuller report, Mr. McIntosh pointed to the fact that New Brunswick has lost two members in parliament in the last decade and Nova Scotia one on account of the exodus, and alleged that if the present movement continues there will be twice the decrease during the next decade. He continued: "Now, I am not speaking from a political standpoint, and I do not want to be misunderstood, but there is one thing I am heartily sick and tired of, and that is this constant moving out of our people. We want a change, and would welcome it even to the extent of pulling down the grand old flag of England and raising up to the masthead of the stars and stripes." This latter remark naturally caused a sensation, and there were many marks of disapproval, to which Mr. McIntosh rejoined: "Excuse me, I am only giving you facts; not that I wish this to happen, but such is the state of affairs, and it is acknowledged throughout the country with the exception of a few partisan newspapers." He further said that out of a class of 24 young people in his church only 10 were left. The rest had gone to the New England states, and the people there were writing for more. "They make our best citizens," they said. There is no reason to suppose that this clergyman was exaggerating or drawing on his imagination when he was speaking thus. He was endeavoring to give the meeting a correct idea of the position of the congregational denomination in his district, and would be most unlikely to depart from the strict truth in doing so. The picture he drew being thus correct, how can any person wonder that Nova Scotia is tired of the N. P.? And in this respect Nova Scotia is very much like all the other provinces.

The immense growth of European militarism is shown by the following table giving the strength of the standing armies of the various countries in 1869 and in 1892:

	1869	1892
France	1,350,000	4,350,000
Germany	1,300,000	5,000,000
Russia	1,100,000	4,000,000
Austria	750,000	1,800,000
Italy	570,000	2,236,000
England	450,000	602,000
Spain	450,000	800,000
Turkey	320,000	1,150,000
Switzerland	150,000	480,000
Sweden-Norway	130,000	338,000
Belgium	95,000	258,000
Portugal	70,000	154,000
Denmark	45,000	91,000
Holland	45,000	185,000
	6,958,000	22,248,000

There is correspondingly a great increase in the cost. The following table gives the comparisons in francs:

	1869.	1892.
Russia	492,000,000	991,000,000
France	471,000,000	691,000,000
England	484,000,000	663,000,000
Germany	224,000,000	561,000,000
Austria	182,000,000	314,000,000
Italy	141,000,000	289,000,000
Spain	100,000,000	142,000,000
Holland	41,000,000	59,000,000
Belgium	29,000,000	40,000,000
Switzerland	2,000,000	36,000,000
Portugal	22,000,000	35,000,000
Sweden	18,000,000	45,000,000

The Conservative St. Thomas Times quite frequently tells its party that the government's attitude towards tariff reform is sure to bring its defeat. The Port Arthur Sentinel the principal Conservative paper in Algoma, finds that "there is not the least doubt that the Conservative party is seriously rent by division or is in the act of being torn asunder." The Sentinel further says: "For our part there does not appear to be much hope for the success of the Conservative party at the next election. There is no one among the leaders who can arouse enthusiasm. The Orangemen of the cabinet have lost the confidence of the brethren; the Roman Catholics do not commend themselves to the people of that church; the cold water men are regarded as traitors by the temperance party; and all around there seems only distrust of one another, combined with general fear of the people as to the capacity of the leaders. It is not a bright outlook for the Conservatives at the next election." Perhaps the News-Advertiser will pay some attention to these weaker brethren.

"Behold, how great a matter a little fire kindleth." The substitution of "England" for "Britain" in the heading of a small selection in the Times has caused quite an alarming outbreak of Scotticism. To avert any further disagreeable consequences we may explain that the error, though so serious, was purely accidental, and that if there is any conspiracy afoot to merge the Scot in the Englishman the Times has no part in it.

NOT ALL ENGLISH.

To the Editor:—I read "Briton's" letter in the Times last evening with much pleasure. The Scotch, I believe, are too sensible to bother their heads much about the blunders of people who class them as English. But the constant recurrence of this very stupid blunder will irritate even persons of some patience. During the late campaign in the Soudan it was remarked that when the British forces won a victory—if the massacre of a few half-armed Africans can be called a victory—the newspapers came out with such headlines as, "England's troops victorious," "English soldiers triumph," "Old England's grenadiers," and the like. But when the Arabs inflicted punishment upon the invaders of their country the tune was changed to, "British defeat," "British troops repulsed," "Serious British reverse," etc. This is a little sickening to anyone who likes justice. I remember reading in some paper about the "splendid valor of the English troops as they dashed into the trenches at Tel-el-Kebir." This referred to the Highland regiments which carried the works and bayonetted the defenders, and had the whole thing done before the "splendid valor of the English troops" had a chance to get near. The English troops were up in time to do the cheering, however; the men who won the battle, the Scottish Highlanders, were too exhausted with their exertion to make much of that sort of noise. Yes, whenever there is any credit or glory in the matter it is always England, English or Englishmen. But when it is something unworthy or discreditable, it is always British, or Great Britain. Any person of average education knows perfectly well that England has no political existence apart from Scotland and Ireland, and that it is absurd to attempt, by using the generic title English, to make people believe that the three nations are really English. The Scotch especially feel the slight, as they are beholden to England for nothing. They beat the English in a pitched battle, more thoroughly than they were ever beaten before or since. A Scottish king, heir to the Tudor crown, mounted the English throne. The union of the two nations had nothing in it derogatory to the dignity or rights of Scotland, in fact it was rather humiliating for the English to be compelled to ally themselves to a nation so numerically small, but which was unconquerable by even England's mighty force. I have seen Irishmen smile complacently on being mistaken for Englishmen, but I have never seen a Scot do anything but resent it unhesitatingly. That is, the real, true Scot. I don't mean those imbeciles who ape the English manners and speech and affect to think anything Scotch inferior. Poor trash, even the English they worship despise them. A short time ago I read an article in one of the great reviews to the effect that Scotland's destiny as a nation was ultimate assimilation by the English people. The writer said there was nothing for the Scotch but that, and he could note the process of national decay very distinctly. My opinion after reading the article was that the writer was either totally unacquainted with Scotland and the Scotch or was a born ass. You will find to-day the spirit of the ancient Scotch burning as brightly as ever, and among the people a bitter, sardonic kind of contempt for anything English that I do not like, because I have lived among the English and respect them. Before a man begins to write such insulting articles about a people he should live among them and hear their fireside talk. Had the reviewer I refer to done this he would not be quite so sure about Scotland's ultimate fate being the maw of John Bull. As that clear-headed American, Petroleum V. Nasby, of the Toledo, O., Blade, cleverly summed up the national prejudice between the English and the Scotch: "The English don't like the Scotch because they couldn't conquer them, and because the Scot is more than a match for them in business, politics or anything else. The Scotch don't like the English because the English want everything that's in sight and what's beyond as well, and in spite of their brag and bluster about fair play don't want to give anybody else a chance." Some people pooh-pooh this sentiment of national individuality and condemn it as puerile and trivial, but among those who do not pooh-pooh it, but strongly maintain it, may be mentioned Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone, Professor John Stuart Blackie, Andrew Carnegie, Robert Burns, Sir Walter Scott, Hugh Miller, Dr. Chalmers and a few more puerile triflers of the same kind. The name of Englishman is a proud one, but the Scot wants none of its glories to array himself in; he has as proud a one, and seeks no borrowed plumes. As the old song says: "I hae a guid braid sword; I'll tak' dunts frae naebody." So those who yearn to be known as English are welcome to all the honor and glory the name may bring them.
SCOT ABROAD.

The Stature of the Most Ancient Races.

Has the species of man increased or diminished in stature since it first appeared on this planet? Have his bones increased or diminished in solidity and weight? Have the relations in these respects between the two sexes always been as they are now? These are some of the very interesting questions approached by Dr. J. Rahon in a recent paper in the Memoirs of the Anthropological Society of Paris, entitled, "Recherches sur les Ossements Humains Anciens et Prehistoriques." His conclusions may be briefly stated. Comparing the earliest quaternary skeletons found in western Europe with those of the present generation, the former belonged to what we should call medium sized people, with an average stature, in the males, of 1.63 metre. The tribes of neolithic times varied scarcely at all from this measurement; but the protohistoric nations, the Gauls, Franks, Burgundians, etc., ran the figures up to a mean of 1.66 for the males; since their epoch it has been steadily, though slowly, descending, at least in France, until the average of the Parisian men to-day is 1.62 metre. In all ages the women have averaged about 10 centimetres less in height than the men. The bones of both were rather heavier and more powerful in ancient times. Incidentally, Dr. Rahon shows that the height of the men of Cro Magnon has been overestimated; that of the men of Spy underestimated; that of the Guanches of Teneriffe averaged but one centimetre above the French of to-day, and osteologically were very similar to the Cro Magnon people; and that from the most remote time the human body has retained the same proportions.—Science (U.S.A.)

CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The Governor-General and family will sail from Canada on July 15.

John Wilcox, builder and resident of Toronto for fifty years, is dead.

Johnston Abraham, a prominent resident of Stratford, is dead, aged 53.

Mrs. John Mallock, widow of the late Judge Mallock, of Perth, died at Hamilton.

G. B. Pattee and others of Ottawa are organizing a company to prosecute fruit growing in Southern California.

Alex. R. Villeneuve was found guilty at the Aylmer assizes of incest, the complainant being his own daughter.

Thos. Griffin, inspector of the Grand Trunk, jumped on a moving pilot engine at Dundas. He slipped, fell, and his right leg was mangled and had to be amputated. He died in the afternoon.

The Anglican Synod of Toronto declined to appoint delegates to the Dominion Alliance Prohibition Convention to be held next September. Several members expressed the belief that the alliance is being used for political purposes.

A commission has been appointed by the Ontario government to investigate the charges by students against the management of the Guelph Agricultural College. It is composed of John Winchester, master in chambers, Toronto; John Waterworth, ex-M.P., and John S. Pearce, of London.

A terrible drowning accident occurred near Pembroke. Mr. Nelson Whitmore and wife, Miss Dunlop, their neice, and Miss Church, of Pembroke, were boating on the arm of the Ottawa known as Culbute Chenallie, when the boat upset. Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore were drowned, and the others were rescued with difficulty by residents.

It is said that owing to the refusal of the authorities of Bond street Congregational church, Toronto, to accede to his request that the annual congregational conference be invited to meet in that church next year, and the suggestion made at the yearly meeting held recently, Dr. Wild will on Sunday next announce his retirement from the pastorate of the church.

The High Commissioner has sent a letter to Hon. A. R. Angers, stating that complaints have been received from Liverpool and Glasgow that old and worn-out animals are being sent over from Canada to those ports which are hardly fit for food, and not worth more than the expense incurred in their transportation. Sir Charles thinks that every care should be taken to insure that none but suitable animals be shipped from Canada. He also condemns shippers for sending too many cattle to one port to arrive about the same time. This causes a glut in the market and a drop in prices.

At the unveiling of the statue to Jacques Cartier at St. Henri, ex-Premier Mercier said everything was now conspiring to reduce the French Canadians to a condition of slaves. Their language was abolished in the Northwest, and the Roman Catholic schools were being abolished in spite of the constitution and treaties. The McCarthy movement was gaining headway and had the support of a great majority of English-speaking Canadians. It was high time the French Canadians should be united. He had no longer a right to speak for any party, but no party could save them and their fate was in their own hands.

A long letter from Archbishop Tache, of St. Boniface, Manitoba, in reference to the separate school question, is published in Montreal French papers. The Archbishop declares that the present non-sectarian schools are in reality Protestant schools and makes a strong plea for separate institutions. The old regime, he says, respected faiths and placed all citizens on an equal footing in harmony with their religious convictions, while the new regime on the contrary pretends to offer the same to all. In conclusion the Archbishop makes an eloquent appeal for equal rights to all and declares his allegiance to the British Crown.

In speaking to a St. Paul Pioneer Press reporter, Sir Donald A. Smith said:—"I see by the papers that you have had a reciprocity convention here during the present week, and I have been given to understand that it was a great success. As regards reciprocity, the feeling of the people of Canada is that there should be the closest possible relations between Canada and the United States consistent with our ties with Great Britain. In other words, we want the closest possible commercial union with the United States. Political union, which is spoken of very often nowadays, is but the visionary hope of a few. It will be many, many years, in my judgment, before it enters the domain of practical politics. It is sometimes said that the French-Canadian population of Canada favor annexation to the United States, but that is not true. French-Canadians as a body are as loyal as any class of Canadian subjects. The French-Canadian generally is what Sir George Carter used to call himself, a French-speaking Englishman. In short, the people of Canada do not desire either annexation or independence. They are perfectly satisfied and content to be a part of the British Empire."

French Canadian Character.

A writer in Harper's Magazine says of the French Canadians: The people are not enterprising. At least this seems to be true of all but a few exceptions. They are content to take what comes in their way with a happy faith that the morrow will bring with it its daily bread. They are averse to breaking in new lands, and as the families are large the divisions of the farms generation after generation finally result in such small portions that some of the children must seek employment elsewhere if all are to live. Very few of them are willing to go to the new lands of Manitoba and the Northwest, but they find congenial occupations in the cites. They are admirable mechanics and most loyal and devoted servants. The Scotchman or Englishman at the head of a great establishment prefers the French-Canadian to his own countrymen as subordinates. He will tell you that Frenchmen will remain with him all their lives; no such thought as seeking new employment or leaving the old for the purpose of engaging in ventures for himself will enter a French-Canadian's head, while the Englishman or Scotchman will use his employment as a stepping stone to something better.

LORD ROBERTS.

Interesting Anecdotes Respecting the Famous British General.

There is no more interesting figure in social circles in England at the present time than that of Lord Frederick Roberts, the brave soldier and genial-hearted gentleman. His arrival in England, on his return home from India, where he has been for a number of years the commander-in-chief of the British forces, has been greeted everywhere with emphatic expressions of public esteem. There is no man living in whom the English people have more confidence, whether as a general commanding active forces in the field or as an organizer and official administrator, and the time may shortly come for his appointment to be commander-in-chief at home, notwithstanding the fact that he is a Tory of the Tories. This is more than probable, since Lord Wolseley has got himself into such bad odor, owing to his pronounced opposition to the home rule bill, and, it is said, his threat of resigning his position and leading on the Ulster forces in case matters come to the worst. Contrasted with the deplorable reception given to Mr. Gladstone in the Imperial Institute while a guest of the Prince of Wales, that accorded to Lord Roberts a few days later in the same building came as a welcome surprise. Wherever he was recognized he was cheered to the echo, notwithstanding the fact that his modesty of disposition caused him to shun as far as possible the public gaze. On his arrival at Dover on Saturday, May 6th, he was presented with an address by the mayor and corporation, and at the Victoria station, London, met with a cordial welcome from many friends, among whom were the Duke of Connaught, Sir Donald Stewart, and other officers who have served in India. He is to receive fresh city of London honors at Guildhall as a public recognition of his services during the Afghan war, his celebrated march to Candahar, and his other brilliant exploits while commanding the forces in the east.

In point of stature he is rather undersized, with wiry mustache, dark, penetrating eyes that glisten beneath white, shaggy eyebrows, and a noble, well-arched forehead—the very picture of a soldier and disciplinarian, with dominating will and keen perception.

But when off duty Lord Roberts is a very genial companion. I remember a few of the anecdotes the general is fond of telling to his guests on first meeting after dinner, as related to me by an officer under his command. It seems that when in Malta a number of years ago Lord Roberts, then only a colonel, had an Irish servant to whom he was much attached. Mike, however, would occasionally get the worse of liquor, and at such times would forget himself. On one of these occasions he sold his uniform to get his favorite beverage, and, being absent from duty, was afterwards found lying in a calico wrapper in a civilian's house. He was brought back to quarters in this condition, and Col. Roberts, thinking to shame him, had him brought out before all the men in dishabille. When the column was told to "stand easy," they burst into roars of laughter at their comrade, and the colonel, turning sharply around on the guilty culprit, exclaimed: "And what do you think of yourself now, sir?" "Why, sir," cried Mike, quite unabashed, "I think they're the finest set of men I iver inspected."

The colonel had also a favorite monkey, which he had taught to play many tricks. On one occasion Mike began to tease the animal, and throwing a halfpenny towards it the monkey caught it and ran up a tree. This gave Mike a good excuse for obtaining the wherewithal to buy liquor. Going up to the colonel and respectfully saluting him, he said, "If ye plaise, sir, Jacko has stolen a half a crown of me own and shwallered it." The colonel after some deliberation decided to refund the amount. A few minutes later he called Jacko to him, and opening the monkey's mouth found the coin to be only a halfpenny. Angrily summoning his servant he exclaimed: "I thought you said it was a half a crown that the monkey took from you. Here is the coin, sir." "Well, sir," replied Mike, "sure an' faith it was a half a crown, but the baste must have sucked it down to its present appearance."

When first taking command of the forces in India, Gen. Roberts dropped quietly into one of the mess rooms in civilian clothes, and asked how they thought they would like their new commander. "He's a fine general," was the remark one man made, "but they say he's the very devil on inspection. They say he's got a heye like a heagle." The following day the general ordered inspection, and found this same soldier to be short of a regulation blanket. "I told you he had an eye like a 'awk," whispered the poor fellow after he had received a reprimand from the general when the inspection was over.

These are a few of the after-dinner secrets he imparts to his particular friends when the strict disciplinarian drops his rugged military airs to assume those of the genial host.

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SECRET SOCIETY JOTTINGS

Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M., to Meet in This City Next Week.

INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP THIS YEAR

A. O. U. W. Delegates Leave for Toronto—Grand Lodge K. of P. Delegates Return From the Royal City—Annual Directory of the A. O. F.

I. O. O. F.

Victoria lodge held its regular meeting on Monday evening, when a great deal of business was gone through. One candidate was initiated into the mysteries of the order and one brother received the first degree.

Canton Victoria, No. 1, P.M., met last evening and was drilled by Captain Blanchard. The Canton meets on Friday evenings now instead of Saturdays as formerly.

The I. O. O. F. excursion committee met last evening to arrange matters in connection with their annual excursion to Seattle on the 5th of August. Another meeting will be held shortly.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Past Grand Chancellor Crosson will represent the jurisdiction of British Columbia at the next meeting of the Supreme Lodge.

Grand Vice-Chancellor J. C. Byrne, with Past Chancellors Duck, Weber and Redgrave, returned from New Westminster last evening.

Far West lodge, No. 1, met last night. One proposition for membership was read.

The committee to make arrangements for decorating the graves of deceased knights held a meeting last evening. The ceremony will be held on Sunday, 25th instant. A special train will arrive from Nanaimo at 11 o'clock a.m. with the Uniform Rank and members of the various lodges. At 2:30 o'clock the knights will meet and will march to Ross Bay cemetery where appropriate services will be held. Donations of flowers will be thankfully received at Pythian Hall on Saturday and Sunday.

Visiting knights from San Francisco, Seattle and Nanaimo attended last night's meeting of Far West lodge.

SONS OF ERIN.

A well attended meeting was held in Pioneer hall last Wednesday evening. President C. Booth occupied the chair.

The entertainment committee reported that Dominion Day will be celebrated by holding a picnic in Caledonia Park for the benefit of the B. C. Benevolent Society. It is proposed to give a good programme of sports during the afternoon and dancing during the evening.

A committee was appointed to forward a letter of condolence to Hon. Treasurer, M. McTiernan, expressing sympathy of the society at the loss sustained through the death of his brother, the late P. McTiernan.

A. O. F.

Court Robin Hood met on Thursday evening, initiated a number of new members and nominated officers.

At the last meeting of Court Northern Light three new members were initiated.

The combined committees have decided to hold the annual demonstration at New Westminster on the 22nd of July. A steamer has been chartered for the occasion. The Companions of the Forest and the Juvenile Foresters will go up.

A meeting will be held next week to arrange for a church parade. The graves of deceased brothers will also be decorated.

The Companions of the Forest initiated nine new members at their last meeting. The charter will be closed at the next meeting. Arrangements will be made for a moonlight excursion to the Gorge.

The Juvenile lodge continues to increase its membership. The lodge's new banner will be here in time for the annual demonstration.

In the quarterly report issued in England, Vancouver Island is given credit for organizing the third circle of Companions of the Forest.

The 49th annual directory of Forestry has just been received by local lodges. It is well printed and has been carefully compiled. There is lots of useful information in it.

There are now 70 courts of the Ancient Order on the Pacific coast.

A. O. U. W.

One member was initiated at the meeting of Western Star lodge on Monday night.

Delegates Leiser, Hoy and Keary left for Toronto on Wednesday to attend the meeting of the supreme lodge.

Sullivan lodge, No. 6, and Vancouver Lodge, No. 5, meet next Friday evening.

The James Laidlaw claim is now in the hands of the finance committee and will be settled shortly. The delay in paying this claim was caused by the trouble in obtaining proof of the death of the late James Laidlaw.

A. F. & A. M.

The 22nd annual communication of the grand lodge of British Columbia will be opened in this city on Thursday and continue for three days. Delegates will be present from all parts of the province. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings routine business and the election of officers will occupy the time of the delegates. On Saturday afternoon they will assist in the laying of the corner stone of the John G. Taylor P. O. Home. The financial condition of the grand lodge is in good condition, $1992 having been received during the year. The increase in the membership has been 150, bringing the total up to 1000. Three lodges which have been working under dispensation, have petitioned for charters. These petitions will be considered by the grand lodge.

Fire Losses.

The total fire loss in the United States during May was $10,427,100. There were 20 fires over $100,000, and one of $900,000.

Fires during the week ending June 8, caused a loss of $1,700,000.

A fire in London, Eng., on June 3, caused a loss of $500,000.

The iron ship Elmbark, loaded with 2000 tons of sulphur and 2100 tons of coal, is on fire in San Francisco harbor.

For Four F's.

Fashion, Fabric, Fit, Finish, are the "Jackets" now marked down to clear at Partridge's, 86 Yates street.

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Board of Managers.

A meeting of the board of management of the British Columbia Agricultural Society, will be held on Monday evening at W. H. Bainbridge's office. General business.

Closing Examinations.

The closing exercises of the public schools of the city will take place next week as follows: Victoria West, Tuesday; girls' school, Wednesday; boys' school, Thursday, and High School Friday. The examination of the ward schools will take place during the forenoons of Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Stock Company Engaged.

Arrangements for the appearance at the Victoria theatre of Richard R. French's stock company have been completed. The company will play during summer, one night each week, beginning on Thursday evening, the 22nd inst. The play for that evening will be "The Black Flag." The price of admission will be reduced to 25, 50 and 75 cents.

For California.

The steamer Walla Walla will sail for California to-morrow morning with the following cabin passengers from Victoria: B. G. Short, James Moffat, F. Bakeman, A. McBean, Judge W. C. Van Fleet and wife, Miss E. E. Robinson, Mrs. W. C. Coatham, Wm. Topham, T. F. Flint, H. G. Mason, Miss Ruth Quinby, Mrs. G. Patton and child, Master G. Patterson, Mrs. E. N. Patterson and children.

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German Cooking Versus Chinese.

The stomach of a person of refined tastes must revolt at the mere idea that his dinner has been cooked by a Chinaman. Would you send for a Chinese doctor when sick? All the Chinese cooks have been dismissed from "The Vienna," Yates street, formerly "The Wilson," and Germans have taken their places, who give general satisfaction in this popular place. Mr. Charles Eissner, formerly with Delmonico, New York, is in charge of this handsomely furnished and conveniently situated restaurant, where meals may be obtained at all hours. Lunch is served from 12 to 2 at 35 cents, and table d'hote dinner from 5:30 to 8 at 50 cents; with wine, 75 cents.

The Striking of the Manitoba.

F. M. Cheesman, of the Toronto Cutlery Company, is in the city, and is registered at the Victoria. He was aboard the steamer Manitoba when she struck near Georgian Bay ten days ago. The experience was rather an exciting one. The ship was going ahead at a good speed and was on time and supposed to be on her course, despite the fact that there was a dense fog. She was due at Bear's Rump, where she struck, at just 9 in the evening. Without the slightest warning the vessel struck the rock and her bow was raised high upon it. There she was fixed hard and fast with her bow out of the water to the keel, and her stern in 60 feet of water. Strange to relate there was no confusion or panic at all. The captain assured all that there was no danger, as the ship was divided into compartments with bulk heads and could easily float if she came off the rock. The Manitoba was pulled off two days later and taken to Detroit, grounding again before she reached there.

THE CHURCHES.

Services To-Morrow in the City—Who Are to Officiate.

Metropolitan Methodist church—Morning, Rev. C. Bryant; evening, Rev. E. Robson.

At St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m., and there will be the usual services at 11 and 7, Rev. Mr. Sheldrake, of Kamloops, preacher.

James Bay Methodist church—Service to-morrow at 11 a.m., by Rev. E. Robson. Subject: "The Prodigal's Father." Rev. C. Bryant at 7 p.m. Seats all free; strangers cordially invited.

Christadelphian Hall, 209 Douglas street—Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, lecture subject: "The second coming of Christ a reality; with Scripture proofs."

Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. J. E. Coombes pastor—Morning theme: "Echoes of the anniversary guns." Evening theme: "What effect will the Fair have upon the nations, socially, politically, religiously and financially?"

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EVILS OF ELECTRICITY.

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SOME STORE STREET SPECIMENS

City Engineer Wilmot is Looking Into the Subject—What Scientists Have Discovered About it—A Curious Instance Cited.

City Engineer E. A. Wilmot has a very interesting exhibit lying on the mantel of his office in the city hall, in the shape of a couple of pieces of lead water pipe, eaten away and honeycombed as if scraped by some sharp instrument or dipped in some strong acid. The pipe was dug up on Store street, under the tramway track. It was buried two and one-half feet in ordinary soil, and under ordinary circumstances would have lasted for years. There is but one solution for the destruction of the pipe. It was eaten away by the effect of electricity from the tram line. The matter has been called to the notice of Mr. Wilmot several times in the past, and has been noted as well in several of the eastern cities. Scientific men and the technical press have had it under consideration for some time past. "The cause of this," said Mr. Wilmot, this morning as he raised a piece of the honeycombed pipe and showed it to the reporter, "and the need of a remedy for the evil, for such it is, offer interesting food for thought to scientific men. All have agreed that electricity which escapes from the tramway circuit in some way is responsible for the damage to the pipes, and a curious fact in connection with that subject is this:—It is almost clear that the pipe is cut or indented at the point where the electric current leaves it. We in Victoria have seen the damage inflicted only to lead water pipes, but in the east iron pipes, both gas and water, have been damaged. There is one instance recorded too, of a gas explosion caused by the establishment in a peculiar and mysterious way of an arc, which you know burns with intense heat. The lead pipes here are not injured on the inside, but of course the action on the outside would rapidly wear through. As I said, the damage is done when the current leaves the pipe, and there it is believed that the remedy is to be found. Experiments with small pieces of copper wire soldered on the lead pipe to carry the fluid off, have proved successful. You can readily see that in a city like ours, with the line of the tram reaching all over it, and pipes crossing and recrossing it, the item is a considerable one. Here is what F. M Taylor, deputy secretary of Sault Ste. Marie, says in a letter to Fire and Water on the subject:—

"I note in your paper of December 24, 1892, a letter from A. H. Tucker, superintendent at Memphis, Tenn., in regard to the leaks in service pipes running under an electric railway. For the information of our water works people and also to assist, if possible, in determining the cause of such leaks, I will state my experience during the last year in this city. Leaks were reported in service pipes at a distance of about 150 feet, and about 500 feet from the power house of the electric railway. They were dug up and examined and found in a very singular condition. At intervals, quite irregularly situated, there were deep holes eaten into the pipe, which looked like the work of acid, the eaten surface being bright and clean, and apparently into solid iron. The pipe was galvanized, and the soil is a clay gravel. The erosion of the pipes was directly under the track. We have not had any such occurrences in other portions of the city that have been noticed so far, though of course they may come to light later. I should be obliged if the gentlemen in charge in other cities would note their experiences and let us know of them (in case they have had any in this matter).

"We are looking into the matter here," said Mr. Wilmot, continuing, "and you will hear more on the subject later on, most likely."

POLITICAL INFLUENCE.

Appointment of Comox' Collector of Customs.

Union, June 16.—Right Rev. Bishop Lemmens, of Victoria, visited Comox and Union this week. The district was shown him by Rev. Father Durand. In all probability a Roman Catholic church will be built in Union this summer.

The wife and family of Dr. Lawrence, resident physician here, arrived on Wednesday from Honeywood, Ont.

John Mundell, formerly a school teacher, well known throughout the province, and a particular friend of Mayor Haslam, M. P., has been appointed collector of customs for Comox district. A number of rejected candidates are praying for political second sight that they may be enabled to fortell the next member for Vancouver district that they may become his political friends and supporters. Unless they be such, it will be useless for them endeavoring to get a desirable position like the collectorship of customs for the district of Comox.

Mr. James Dunsmuir came overland to Union last week. There is only a trail from Englishman's river to Union wharf and the ride on horseback was a rough one. The mines do not seem to be working more briskly because of his visit. The miners cannot work full time as the coal is not taken away fast enough. Mr. Dunsmuir was accompanied by Mr. Gamble, the Dominion engineer, who inspected the new telegraph line on the trip. The line is working well and is a great convenience. Messrs. Dunsmuir and Gamble left for Victoria by the Lorne on Tuesday evening.

For its size and population Comox district can boast of more settlements than any other district on the coast. There is Duluth on Duncan Bay, the Island terminus of the British Pacific railway. Comox, at Comox wharf; Courtenay, on Courtenay river, six miles from Union; Grantham, Union, Cumberland, Southport, J. B. Holmes' "city" below Union wharf, and Alex. Garvin's on Baynes Sound, a city famous for its mineral spring, all of which are no "paper towns" and "where people should invest before the great influx of population which is sure to come."

A large panther was killed on Roy's ranch last week. It measured nearly nine feet.

A new postoffice has been established at Courtenay, Frank Whitney, son of the proprietor of the Comox News, has been installed as postmaster.

M. Whitney, editor and proprietor of the Comox News, has returned after paying Victoria a flying visit.

Prof. John Macoun, of Ottawa, accompanied by Messrs. Wallbridge and Spreadborough, arrived on Wednesday. They are seeking information on the natural history of Comox district and the northern division of the Island.

John Hetherington, owner of one of the finest farms in Comox, died in California. He went there last winter for the benefit of his health. He was single and has no relatives in this country.

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BRITISH PACIFIC PROJECT.

Talk With Frank Bakeman, Who Will Leave for London To-Morrow.

Mr. Frank Bakeman, president and managing director of the British Pacific Construction Company, Ltd., is to leave the city to-morrow by the Walla Walla for San Francisco, whence he will proceed to his home in Chicago. To a Times reporter Mr. Bakeman said this morning:

"I am going to London and the continent by way of San Francisco, Chicago and New York. I have some private business matters which call for attention in Chicago, and when those have been attended to I shall go to New York to close the arrangements for the capital of the construction company. As soon as that is done I shall sail for London to conclude the contract with the financial company, after which I shall return here by way of Chicago, bringing my family with me from the latter city, and will then become a resident of Victoria."

"When do you expect to return?" asked the reporter.

"In October, but of course I cannot fix the date exactly. I shall remain away no longer than is necessary to close up the business upon which I am going."

"Have you any objections to stating how the affairs of the construction company stand?"

"None whatever. As the public have been already told, there are three companies; the railway company, the construction company and the financial company. The railway company owns the franchises and is entitled to all the subsidies and bonuses, and will own the road when completed. It is provisionally organized only. The construction company, with a capital of five millions, is to contract with the railway company to build the road. All of this capital has been secured. The company is fully organized. The personnel of our board has been already made public. Its general officers were elected early in the present month and are: Col. E. G. Prior, vice-president; R. P. Rithet, treasurer; Col. A. J. Kane, secretary; M. Keith Jones, general manager; C. W. Higgins, auditor; Messrs. Bodwell, Irving & Innes, solicitors; F. P. Blackman, associate counsel (our general counsel has not yet been appointed), and myself president and managing director. When all our financial arrangements are concluded the railway company organization will be formally completed. Foreshadowing the personnel of that corporation, I will say that it is probable that R. P. Rithet will be president, and also the vice-president of the London corporation. We shall include in the board of directors at least a majority of British Columbians.

"Again adverting to the construction company, it may be of interest to the public to know that it is so organized, that the control will be with myself and friends in British Columbia, and it is proposed to recruit our forces, so far as possible, exclusive of the material at hand, here and in the province generally. Most of the capital of this company is taken, and, as I have said, I go to New York to close that part of the business. The financial company is an English corporation. Its name is the British Columbia Railway and Financial corporation. Its capital is one million pounds, and I am informed that an agreement exists for the subscription. This company is to finance all the funds necessary for the construction of the road and for carrying on all counterpart enterprise connected with it. My purpose in going to Europe is to close the arrangements between the construction company and this corporation, which assures and secures the money with which to build the road."

"Will any work be done this season?"

"We will resume the surveys and locations shortly, and will complete the locations at least as far as Campbell's river. Full work will be undertaken on my return home."

"Have you anything else to add that I have not asked you?"

"Only that I am fuly satisfied with the condition in which matters are, and fully convinced that before my return in October I will have some good news to send to the people of Victoria and the province, who have shown so much interest in the project and kindness to myself and associates."

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DEATH IS A SUNRISE.

DR. TALMAGE PICTURES THE FELICITIES OF FUTURE LIFE.

How Men Go Through God's Thrashing Machine—The Fruits of Trial and Tribulation Are Eternal Joy and Peace In the Blissful Hereafter.

BROOKLYN, June 11.—Rev. Dr. Talmage chose as the subject for his sermon today "The Thrashing Machine," the text being from Isaiah xxviii, 27, 28. "For the fitches are not thrashed with a thrashing instrument, neither is a cart wheel turned about upon the cummin, but the fitches are beaten out with a staff and the cummin with a rod. Bread corn is bruised because he will not ever be thrashing it."

There are three kinds of seed mentioned—fitches, cummin and corn. Of the last we all know. But it may be well to state that the fitches and the cummin were small seeds, like the carraway or the chickpea. When these grains or herbs were to be thrashed, they were thrown on the floor, and the workmen would come around with staff or rod or flail and beat them until the seed would be separated, but when the corn was to be thrashed that was thrown on the floor, and the men would fasten horses or oxen to a cart with iron dented wheels. That cart would be drawn around the thrashing floor, and so the work would be accomplished. Different kinds of thrashing for different products. "The fitches are not thrashed with a thrashing instrument, neither is a cart wheel turned about upon the cummin, but the fitches are beaten out with a staff and the cummin with a rod. Bread corn is bruised because he will not ever be thrashing it."

The great thought that the text presses upon our souls is that we all go through some kind of thrashing process. The fact that you may be devoting your life to honorable and noble purposes will not win you any escape. Wilberforce, the Christian emancipator, was in his day derisively called "Dr. Cantwell." Thomas Babington Macaulay, the advocate of all that was good long before he became the most conspicuous historian of his day, was caricatured in one of the quarterly reviews as "Babbletongue Macaulay." Norman McLeod, the great friend of the Scotch poor, was industriously maligned in all quarters, although on the day when he was carried out to his burial a workman stood and looked at the funeral procession and said, "If he had done nothing for anybody more than he has done for me, he should shine as the stars forever and ever." All the small wits of London had their fling at John Wesley, the father of Methodism.

If such men could not escape the maligning of the world, neither can you expect to get rid of the sharp, keen stroke of the tribulum. All who will live godly in Christ Jesus must suffer persecution. Besides that there are the sicknesses, and the bankruptcies, and the irritations, and the disappointments which are ever putting a cup of aloes to your lip. Those wrinkles on your face are hieroglyphics which, if deciphered, would make out a thrilling story of trouble. The footstep of the rabbit is seen the next morning on the snow, and on the white hairs of the aged are the footprints showing where swift trouble alighted.

CLOUDS WITH SUNSHINE.

Even amid the joys and hilarities of life trouble will sometimes break in. As when the people were assembled in the Charlestown theater during the Revolutionary war and while they were witnessing a farce and the audience was in great gratulation the guns of an advancing army were heard and the audience broke up in wild panic and ran for their lives, so oftimes while you are seated amid the joys and festivities of this world you hear the cannonade of some great disaster. All the fitches, and the cummin, and the corn must come down on the thrashing floor and be pounded.

My subject, in the first place, teaches us that it is no compliment to us if we escape great trial. The fitches and the cummin on the thrashing floor might look over to the corn on another thrashing floor and say: "Look at that poor, miserable, bruised corn! We have only been a little pounded, but that has been almost destroyed." Well, the corn, if it had lips, would answer and say: "Do you know the reason you have not been as much pounded as I have? It is because you are not of so much worth as I am. If you were, you would be as severely run over."

Yet there are men who suppose they are the Lord's favorites simply because their barns are full, and their bank account is flush, and there are no funerals in the house. It may be because they are fitches and cummin, while down at the end of the lane the poor widow may be the Lord's corn. You are but little pounded because you are but little worth, and she bruised and ground because she is the best part of the harvest.

The heft of the thrashing machine is according to the value of the grain. If you have not been much thrashed in life, perhaps there is not much to thrash! If you have not been much shaken of trouble, perhaps it is because there is going to be a very small yield. When there are plenty of blackberries, the gatherers go out with large baskets, but when the drought has almost consumed the fruit then a quart measure will do as well. It took the venomous snake on Paul's hand, and the pounding of him with stones until he was taken up for dead, and the jamming against him of prison gates, and the Ephesian vociferation, and the skinned ankles of the painful stocks, and the foundering of the Alexandrian corn ship, and the beheading stroke of the Roman sheriff to bring Paul to his proper development.

It was not because Robert Moffat and Lady Rachel Russel and Frederick Oberlin were worse than other people that they had to suffer. It was because they were better, and God wanted to make them best. By the carefulness of the thrashing you may always conclude the value of the grain.

GOD TEMPERS OUR TRIALS.

Next my text teaches us that God proportions our trials to what we can bear. The staff for the fitches. The rod for the cummin. The iron wheel for the corn. Sometimes people in great trouble say, "Oh, I can't bear it!" But you did bear it. God would not have sent it upon you if he did not know that you could bear it. You trembled, and you swooned, but you got through. God will not take from your eyes one tear too many, nor from your lungs one sigh too deep, nor from your temples one throb too sharp. The perplexities of your earthly business have not in them one tangle too intricate.

You sometimes feel as if our world were full of bludgeons flying haphazard. Oh, no! They are thrashing instruments that God just suits to your case. There is not a dollar of bad debts on your ledger, or a disappointment about goods that you expected to go up, but that have gone down, or a swindle of your business partner, or a trick on the part of those who are in the same kind of business that you are, but God intended to overrule for your immortal help. "Oh," you say, "there is no need talking that way to me. I don't like to be cheated and outraged." Neither does the corn like the corn thrasher, but after it has been thrashed and winnowed it has a great deal better opinion of winnowing mills and corn thrashers.

"Well," you say, "if I could choose my troubles, I would be willing to be troubled." Ah, my brother, then it would not be trouble. You would choose something that would not hurt, and unless it hurts it does not get sanctified. Your trial perhaps may be childlessness. You are fond of children. You say, "Why does God send children to that other household where they are unwelcome and are beaten and banged about, when I would have taken them in the arms of my affections?" You say, "Any other trial but this." Your trial perhaps may be a disfigured countenance or a face that is easily caricatured, and you say, "Oh, I could endure anything if only I was good looking." And your trial perhaps is a violent temper, and you have to drive it like six unbroken horses amid the gunpowder explosions of a great holiday, and ever and anon it runs away with you. Your trial is the asthma. You say, "Oh, if it were rheumatism or neuralgia or erysipelas, but it is this asthma, and it is such an exhausting thing to breathe." Your trouble is a husband, short, sharp, snappy and cross about the house and raising a small riot because a button is off! How could you know the button is off?

Your trial is a wife ever in contest with the servants, and she is a sloven. Though she was very careful about her appearance in your presence once, now she is careless because she said her fortune is made! Your trial is a hard school lesson you cannot learn, and you have bitten your finger nails until they were a sight to behold. Everybody has some vexation or annoyance or trial, and he or she thinks it is the one least adapted. "Anything but this," all say. "Anything but this."

FAULT FINDERS REBUKED.

Oh, my hearer, are you not ashamed to be complaining all this time against God? Who manages the affairs of this world anyhow? Is it an infinite Modoc, or a Sitting Bull savage, or an omnipotent Nana Sahib? No; it is the most merciful and glorious and wise Being in all the universe. You cannot teach Omnipotence anything. You have fretted and worried almost enough. Do you not think so? Some of you are making yourselves ridiculous in the sight of the angels.

Here is a naval architect, and he draws out the plan of a ship of many thousand tons. Many workmen are engaged on it for a long while. The ship is done, and some day with the flags up and the air gorgeous with bunting that vessel is launched for Southampton. At that time a lad 6 years of age comes running down the dock with a toy boat which he had made with his own jackknife, and he says: "Here, my boat is better than yours. Just look at this jibboom and these weather cross jack braces." And he drops his little boat beside the great ship, and there is a roar of laughter on the docks.

Ah, my friends, that great ship is your life as God planned it—vast, million tonned, ocean destined, eternity bound. That little boat is your life as you are trying to hew it out and fashion it and launch it. Ah, do not try to be a rival of the great Jehovah. God is always right, and in nine cases out of ten you are wrong. He sends just the hardships, just the bankruptcies, just the cross, that it is best for you to have. He knows what kind of grain you are, and he sends the right kind of thrashing machine. It will be a rod or a staff or iron wheel just according as you are fitches or cummin or corn.

Again, my subject teaches us that God keeps trial on us until we let go. The farmer shouts "whoa!" to his horses as soon as the grain has dropped from the stalk. The farmer comes with his fork and tosses up the straw, and he sees that the straw has let go the grain and the grain is thoroughly thrashed. So God. Smiting rod and turning wheel both cease as soon as we let go. We hold on to this world with its pleasures and riches and emoluments, and our knuckles are so firmly set that it seems as if we could hold on forever. God comes along with some thrashing trouble and beats us loose. We started under the delusion that this was a great world.

We learned out of our geography that it was so many thousand miles in diameter and so many thousand miles in circumference, and we said, "Oh, my, what a world!" Troubles came in after life, and this trouble sliced off one part of the world and that trouble sliced off another part of the world, and it has got to be a smaller world and in some of your estimations a very insignificant world, and it is depreciating all the time as a spiritual property. Ten per cent off, 50 per cent off, and there are those here who would not give 10 cents for this world—for the entire world—as a soul possession.

FRIENDSHIP.

We thought that that friendship was a grand thing. In school we used to write compositions about friendship, and perhaps we made our graduating speech on commencement day on friendship. Oh, it was a charmed thing, but does it mean as much to you as it used to? You have gone on in life, and one friend has betrayed you, and another friend has misinterpreted you, and another friend has neglected you, and friendship comes now sometimes to mean to you merely another ax to grind.

So with money. We thought if a man had a competency he was safe for all the future, but we have learned that a mortgage may be defeated by an unknown previous incumbrance; that signing your name on the back of a note may be your business death warrant; that a new tariff may change the current of trade; that a man may be rich today and poor tomorrow. And God, by all these misfortunes, is trying to loosen our grip, but still we hold on. God smites us with a staff, but we hold on. And he strikes us with a rod, but we hold on. And he sends over us the iron wheel of misfortune, but we hold on.

There are men who keep their grip on this world until the last moment who suggest to me the condition and conduct of the poor Indian in the boat in the Niagara rapids coming on toward the fall. Seeing that he could not escape, a moment or two before he got to the verge of the plunge he lifted a wine bottle and drank it off and then tossed the bottle into the air. So there are men who clutch the world, and they go down through the rapids of temptation and sin, and they hold on to the very last moment of life, drinking to their eternal damnation as they go over and go down.

Oh, let go! Let go! The best fortunes are in heaven. There are no absconding cashiers from that bank, no failing in promises to pay. Set your affections on things above, not on things on the earth. Let go! Depend upon it that God will keep upon you the staff, or the rod, or the iron wheel until you do let go.

Another thing my text teaches us is that Christian sorrow is going to have a sure terminus. My text says, "Bread corn is bruised because he will not be ever thrashing it." Blessed be God for that! Pound away, O flail! Turn on, O wheel! Your work will soon be done. "He will not be ever thrashing it." Now, the Christian has almost as much use in the organ for the stop tremulant as he has for the trumpet. But after awhile he will put the last dirge into the portfolio forever. So much of us as is wheat will be separated from so much as is chaff, and there will be no more need of pounding.

NO TEARS IN HEAVEN.

They never cry in heaven because they have nothing to cry about. There are no tears of bereavement, for you shall have your friends all around about you. There are no tears of poverty because each one sits at the king's table and has his own chariot of salvation and free access to the wardrobe where princes get their array. No tears of sickness, for there are no pneumonias on the air, and no malarial exhalations from the rolling river of life, and no crutch for the lame limb, and no splint for the broken arm, but the pulses throbbing with the health of the eternal God in a climate like our June before the blossoms fall, or our gorgeous October before the leaves scatter.

In that land the souls will talk over the different modes of thrashing. Oh, the story of the staff that struck the fitches, and the rod that beat the cummin, and the iron wheel that went over the corn! Daniel will describe the lions, and Jonah leviathans, and Paul the elmwood whips with which he was scourged, and Eve will tell how aromatic Eden was the day she left it, and John Rogers will tell of the smart of the flame, and Elijah of the fiery team that wheeled him up the sky steeps, and Christ of the numbness and paroxysm and hemorrhages of the awful crucifixion. There they are before the throne of God. On one elevation all those who were struck of the staff. On a higher elevation all those who were struck of the rod. On a highest elevation and amid the highest altitudes of heaven all those who were under the wheel. He will not ever be thrashing it.

Oh, my hearers, is there not enough salve in this text to make a plaster large enough to heal your wounds? When a child is hurt, the mother is very apt to say to it, "Now, it will soon feel better." And that is what God says when he unbosoms all the trouble in the hush of this great promise, "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning." You may leave your pocket handkerchief sopping wet with tears on your death pillow, but you will go up absolutely sorrowless. They will wear black; you will wear white. Cypresses for them; palms for you.

You will say: "Is it possible that I am here? Is this heaven? Am I so pure now I will never do anything wrong? Am I so well that I will never again be sick? Are these companionships so firm that they will never again be broken? Is that Mary? Is that John? Is that my loved one I put away into darkness? Can it be that these are the faces of those who lay so wan and emaciated in the back room on that awful night dying? Oh, how radiant they are! Look at them! How radiant they are!

NOT A SUNSET.

"Why, how unlike this place is from what I thought when I left the world below. Ministers drew pictures of this land, but how tame compared with the reality! They told me on earth that death was sunset. No, no! It is sunrise! Glorious sunrise! I see the light now purpling the hills, and the clouds flame with the coming day!"

Then the gates of heaven will be opened, and the entranced soul, with the acuteness and power of the celestial vision, will look ten thousands of miles down upon the bannered procession—a river of shimmering splendor—and will cry out, "Who are they?" And the angel of God standing close by will say, "Don't you know who they are?" "No," says the entranced soul, "I cannot guess who they are." The angel will say: "I will tell you, then, who they are. These are they who came out of great tribulation or thrashing and had their robes washed and made white in the blood of the Lamb."

Oh, that I could administer some of these drops of celestial anodyne to those nervous and excited souls. If you would take enough of it, it would cure all your pangs. The thought that you are going to get through with this after awhile, all this sorrow and all this trouble! We shall have a great many grand days in heaven, but I will tell you which will be the grandest day of all the million ages of heaven. You say, "Are you sure you can tell me?" Yes, I can. It will be the day we get there. Some say heaven is growing more glorious. I suppose it is, but I do not care much about that. Heaven now is good enough for me.

History has no more gratulatory scene than the breaking in of the English army upon Lucknow, India. A few weeks before a massacre had occurred at Cawnpore, and 260 women and children had been put in a room. Then five professional butchers went in and slew them. Then the bodies of the slain were taken out and thrown into a well. As the English army came into Cawnpore they went into the room, and oh, what a horrid scene! Sword strokes on the wall near the floor, showing that the poor things had crouched when they died, and they saw also that the floor was ankle deep in blood. The soldiers walked on their heels across it lest their shoes be submerged of the carnage. And on that floor of blood there were flowing locks of hair and fragments of dresses.

DESPAIR TURNED TO TRIUMPH.

Out in Lucknow they had heard of the massacre, and the women were waiting for the same awful death; waiting amid anguish untold; waiting in pain and starvation, but waiting heroically, when one day Havelock and Outram and Norman and Sir David Baird and Peel, the heroes of the English army—huzza for them!—broke in on that horrid scene, and while yet the guns were sounding, and while cheers were issuing from the starving, dying people on the one side, and from the travel worn and powder blackened soldiers on the other—right there in front of the king's palace there was such a scene of handshaking and embracing and boisterous joy as would utterly confound the pen of the poet and the pencil of the painter.

And no wonder, when these emaciated women, who had suffered so heroically for Christ's sake, marched out from their incarcerations one wounded English soldier got up in his fatigue and wounds and leaned against the wall and threw his cap up and shouted, "Three cheers, my boys, for the brave women!"

Oh, that was an exciting scene. But a gladder and more triumphant scene will it be when you come up into heaven from the conflicts and incarcerations of this world streaming with the wounds of battle and wan with hunger, and while the hosts of God are cheering their great hosanna you will strike hands of congratulation and eternal deliverance in the presence of the throne. On that night there will be bonfires on every hill of heaven, and there will be illumination in every place, and there will be a candle in every window—ah, no; I forget, I forget. They will have no need of the candle or of the sun, for the Lord God giveth them light, and they shall reign forever and ever. Hail! hail! sons and daughters of the Lord God Almighty.

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The said deed was executed by me, Thomas T. Hull, on the 18th day of May, A.D. 1893. All persons having claims against the said assignor are requested to send them in on or before the 21st day of May next to me the undersigned with full particulars in writing, signed by the party claiming.

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THE ESTIMATES REPORTED

They Finally Pass the Committee of the Whole in Council.

THE RIGHTS OF THE MILITIAMEN

At Clover Point Rifle Range Restored by an Amendment to the Street By-Law—The Revenue By-Law Helped Along Several Stages.

The city council went back into committee last evening and took up the estimates again. The mayor again refused to listen to the motion of Ald. Henderson, over which there was so much contention last Friday night, but after a long talk the matter was dropped, the estimates reported and passed. Ald. McKillican, Belyea, Bragg, Henderson and Baker were present when the meeting was called to order by Mayor Beaven. The council immediately went into committee on the Estimates By-law. Ald. Baker was up with an objection to the vote of $3000 to the British Columbia Agricultural Society, but discussion was postponed until the committee went into council.

Ald. Henderson asked that the items in the by-law from where changes were made be read, so that all of the aldermen would know what reductions had been made. He so moved.

The mayor said it all depended upon what sort of a motion it was whether it could be put or not.

Ald. Belyea asked if the aldermen were to understand that the council could decrease but not increase the estimates.

The mayor replied that the supply had to be voted on recommendation of the finance committee, and while as many decreases as the council saw fit could be made, it would not be in order to make any increases.

Ald. Belyea objected to the principle laid down, and Ald. Henderson wanted to know if it was not in order to move an increase in a vote.

The mayor replied that it was not; such a procedure would be contrary to the by-laws.

Ald. Henderson did not see what rights the council had if it could not change the figures if it saw fit to.

The mayor said it was not in accord with the by-law. If any money were left over it could be used by bringing down supplementary estimates. He declined to put the motion to go over the estimates again. The council rose, and Ald. Baker precipitated a long discussion by then opposing the $3000 vote. He regarded it as excessive and said that it showed mismanagement on the part of the association. He moved that the sum be struck out, but received no second. Ald. Bragg, however, urged a delay.

The mayor said that this was not the time for the final passage of the by-law, and besides, he said, in answer to a question from Ald. Henderson, that it was just possible that the money would not be forthcoming at all. Ald. Henderson said that that would be unjust to the association. If the account stood it would lead the members of the association to think that they would get the money. The mayor admitted that.

Finally, despite the votes of Ald. Baker and Bragg, the report was received and the by-law placed on passage was passed.

The council then went into committee on the Revenue By-law. The discussion on licensing street hawkers caused considerable discussion. It was proposed to stop all street peddling, but after a long talk the matter was left standing as it was. Ald. Baker facetiously moved that lawyers' licenses be raised to $500. Ald. Bragg opposed taxing clairvoyants, mediums, etc., $50 for six months license, saying people had "a right to think in any line." He was outvoted. The committee rose, reported the by-law complete, the report was accepted, and the by-law was passed.

Ald. Belyea was granted leave to introduce a by-law to amend the streets by-law. He explained that the volunteers had always used Clover point for a rifle range, and it had grown to be a recognized institution of the city, and he believed the district should be exempted under the streets by-law. The militia department had power to close up the piece of road. He believed the militiamen were careful. They had to fire across no roads up to 600 yards, to which the by-law restricted them. The by-law was read and the council went into committee on the by-law. The mayor suggested that the measure go still further and provide for the granting of permits to shoot inside of the city limits in cases like the match at the hill on May 24, or where birds were proving a nuisance. This was agreed to, and will receive attention. The committee rose and got leave to sit again.

Ald. Baker moved for an adjournment, seconded by Ald. Bragg, and Ald. Henderson voting with them the council adjourned.

AMERICAN NEWS NOTES

Daily Chronicle of Events in The Great Republic.

Paris, June 16.—Charles de Lesseps has been granted a ticket-of-leave in accordance with the decision of the court of cassation in his case. He will quit the hospital and prison forthwith.

Odessa, June 16.—Many well-to-do German Jews living at Melitopol and Simferopol desiring religious liberty are about to start for Canada and the United States.

Paris, June 16.—Several cases of cholera have been reported in Limoges. One case has already proved fatal. Six new cases and four deaths were reported today in Cette, and four cases and one death in Privas, the capital of the Department of Ardeche. The spread of the disease is favored by the intensely hot weather. One case of cholera was reported at Montpelier to-day. Three deaths from the disease were reported at Frontignac, near Montpelier.

Paris, June 16.—The condition of M. Carnot, the president, is improved tonight.

Paris, June 16.—Baron Alphonse de Rothschild has undergone a painful operation, one of his eyes having been successfully removed. He is convalescent at Ferrier's Chateau.

Paris, June 16.—The under secretary for the colonies received a telegram this evening dated Voson, June 16, saying: "The Siamese Mandarin, occupying the post of Camoun, has betrayed us. The French resident had abandoned his guns and returned to Mekong, escorted by Inspector Grogurin. On arriving at Kengien Inspector Grogurin became ill. The Mandarin immediately surrounded the house with a gang of Siamese, who murdered fourteen native soldiers. The Mandarin himself shot Grogurin, who lay helpless in bed."

Vernon and Vicinity.

(Vernon News.)

Armstrong is to have a race track. Work will be commenced on it shortly.

The first drive of cattle has been made to the summer range. They are looking well for this time of year.

There has recently been a large gathering of Indians at Penticton. Indians from all over the district were gathered there, and the meeting was religious in its nature.

Rev. A. K. Sharp, after laboring earnestly and faithfully at Similkameen for nearly two years, has left for a new mission field. Mr. Sharp succeeded well on this mission.

The Similkameen river has been booming for the past three weeks, it being highest about a week ago, when it irrigated the meadow lands about right. The prospect for the hay crop this season is better than it has been for several years past.

Farmers have little to complain of this year in the matter of rains to bring on their crops. Ever since seeding was completed, showers have come at about the proper intervals to keep the growth of field crops steady and vigorous, in some of the lower lying bottoms and natural hay meadows there is of course more moisture than is required, but before time for cutting, this will no doubt be in proper condition again.

Miss Myrtle Salls' Recovery.

After a long term of illness from kidney trouble, obstinate constipation, headaches and general bodily pains, Miss Myrtle Salls, of Marlington, Stanstead county, P. Q., has quite recovered, and is able to work about the house as in past years.

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Interesting for Military Men.

There is about to be issued from the War Office a book descriptive of the army system and its antecedent history. This "Army Book for the British Empire," will supply an undoubted want. Hitherto a would be student of the army system had to wade through committee reports and blue books, and even then be hopelessly confused in trying to discriminate between the existing and the obsolete. In this respect the officers of the army have been little or no better off than the general public. The duty of editing the book has been entrusted to Lieut.-General W. H. Goodenough, C. B., and Lieut.-Col. J. C. Dalton, who will be assisted by various officers, many of high standing and known repute, and all eminently capable, from personal knowledge, of doing justice to the special subjects with which they deal. The book will be in four parts, dealing with the army system, the components of the army, the army in India and the colonies, and the army in war. It will be illustrated with portraits and maps.

A Westbrook Lady's Case.

Westbrook, Ont., June 12.—One of the most popular ladies of this district and one who has been for years as strong a worker in the church as her health would allow, has recently after six years of terrible suffering from kidney troubles, been cured by Dodd's kidney pills. Her case was one of the most pathetic in our knowledge; she has tried all remedies, had interviewed many famous specialists, and had tried treatment at Kingston hospital, only to be discharged as incurable. She was quite hopeless, and resigned herself to a few more years of horrible suffering, when by chance, without much confidence in a cure, she tried Dodd's kidney pills. She has taken in all six boxes and is now entirely cured and able to devote herself to her duties with youthful energy. No one could be more thankful and generous in praise than she. She has told everyone for miles around of her release from a bondage of pain, and has said to your correspondent that the proprietors of the remedy do not advertise half enough. "It should be proclaimed from the housetops, she said. "I am positively convinced that it is a certain cure for all forms of kidney disease. No one can thank its discoverer more than I."

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ELEVEN RUNNING SORES developed on it which reduced me to a living skeleton (I lost 70 lbs. in four months). Friends advised me to go to the Hospital; but I would not, for I knew they would take my leg off. The doctor then wanted to split it open and scrape the bone, but I was too weak to stand the operation. One old lady said it had turned to black erysipelas and could never be cured. I had never heard of Burdock Blood Bitters then, but I read of a minister, Rev. Mr. Stout, who had been cured of a severe abscess on the neck by B.B.B., after medical aid had failed, and I thought I would try it. I washed the leg with the Bitters and took them according to directions. After using one bottle I could walk on crutches, after taking three, I threw away the crutches, took a scythe and went to work in the field. At the end of the sixth bottle my leg was entirely healed up; pieces of loose bone had worked out of it and the cords came back to their natural places again. That was nine years ago and it has never broken out since. I can walk five miles to-day as fast as anyone, and all this I owe to B. B. B., which certainly saved my leg, if not my life. I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers. Give B. B. B. a trial, it will cure you as it did me.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Victoria Team Wins the Six Men Team Contest This Morning.

ADAMS TAKES THE SELBY MEDAL

Ware of Spokane Makes Forty Straight in Yesterday's Team Contest—Several Closely Contested Matches—Last Evening's Lacrosse Match.

Several good scores were made at the Sportsmen's Association tournament yesterday, the weather being more favorable than on previous days. There was very little wind during the day and not enough rain to interfere with the shooting.

The Curtis & Harvey gold medal, valued at $50, for the highest average in events Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, and 8, was won by Denham, of Tacoma, who made 60 out of a possible 65. Eberly and Hughes of Tacoma, and Kinzel of Portland, were second with 58 each, J. C. Maclure of Victoria, third with 52.

The first event on yesterday's programme was ten singles, entrance $1.50, added $40. Kinzel, Eberly, Ware and Minor broke 10 each. There were about a dozen nine's.

In the second event, 15 singles, Hewlings of Victoria, and T. F. White broke 15 each. T. B. Ware and Barlow, 14 each, and a number of thirteens.

The most exciting and closely contested match of the tournament was event No. 12: Trophy team contest, three men teams. Each club may enter as many teams as they wish, but no mixed teams can compete, 20 singles, entrance $6 per team, 1st prize, solid silver tankard, value $350; (This prize governed by rules made by the association.) 2nd prize, 60 per cent; 3rd prize 40 per cent. There were 14 teams entered. After all the teams had finished shooting it was found that Spokane and Tacoma tied for first place with 53 birds each. In the shoot off Tacoma won by 50 to Spokane's 49. T. B. Ware, of Spokane, made the best individual score, breaking 40 straight. The score was:

Tacoma—First Team—		
E. S. Barlow	11011 11111 11101 11111	
W. A. Eberly	10101 11111 11111 11111	53
H. T. Denham	11111 01111 11111 10110	
Spokane—First Team—		
D. Burgess	01111 11111 11011 11101	
T. B. Ware	11101 11111 11111 11111	53
J. F. Warren	11110 11011 01110 11111	
Spokane—Second Team—		
W. B. George	11111 11111 01011 11111	
F. H. Mason	11111 01011 11101 10111	52
N. G. Siscon	11110 11111 00111 11110	
Victoria Club—First Team—		
W. White	11111 11111 01111 11111	
O. Weller	11101 11110 01111 11111	51
H. N. Short	11011 11101 11010 11101	
Portland—		
J. J. Evans	11101 11111 10101 11011	
P. A. Kinzil	11101 11111 11111 00111	50
G. E. Hughes	10100 11011 11111 11181	
Seattle—		
A. R. Churchill	11010 10111 01111 01111	
J. Hardy	10111 11101 10111 11111	50
A. L. Alki	10111 11111 11011 11111	
Union Club, Victoria—First Team—		
C. W. Minor	11111 01011 11111 11110	
F. H. Hewlings	11011 11111 11111 11011	50
J. C. McClure	10100 11101 11111 11110	
Tacoma—Second Team—		
E. E. Ellis	11111 10111 11111 01111	
J. W. Bell	01111 11011 11010 11110	48
E. A. Kimball	01110 11011 11101 11111	
Whatcom—		
S. B. Vanzandt	11111 10011 01011 11011	
D. Cooper	11111 01111 11111 11111	45
Z. Doty	01010 01100 11110 10011	
Tacoma—Third Team—		
J. F. Smith	00011 01011 11100 10111	
W. R. Dodge	11011 11011 11111 11111	42
T. A. Bringham	00011 11001 10111 11010	
Union Club, Victoria—Second Team—		
B. H. John	11111 01111 41111 11110	
H. A. Munn	00111 01011 10111 00000	41
F. S. Maclure	11110 01010 10111 11010	
Victoria Club—Second Team—		
W. H. Adams	01101 00111 01110 11101	
J. Switzer	10110 11110 10110 10011	40
W. Bickford	01011 11011 11000 11111	
Vancouver—		
E. G. White	11011 11000 11110 10101	
R. D. Featherstone	10100 01111 10111 10111	39
P. Thompson	01101 11111 11101 10110	

In shooting off the tie for first place Tacoma and Spokane's leading teams made the following scores:—

Tacoma—		
E. S. Barlow	11111 01111 11111 11111	
W. A. Eberly	11111 11110 11111 11111	50
H. T. Denham	11000 11101 11101 10010	
Spokane—		
D. Burgess	11101 01111 01001 00001	
T. B. Ware	11111 11111 11111 11111	49
T. F. Warren	11111 11111 10111 10111	

The shooting off of ties in the match for the Globe trophy was the next event on the programme. It was won by W. Grigg, of Victoria. The score was:

W. Grigg	21112-12120-21111—14
E. A Kimball	22111-21121-12110—14
A. K. Churchill	22111-22120-21111—14

Messrs. Clark, Ware, Geo. Doty, Smith and Evans withdrew after shooting a few times, seeing that they were out of the running.

The finals were as follows:

Grigg	21112-11211—10
Kimball	12211-1110*— 8
Churchill	11222-1120*— 8

EVENT NO. 13.

Five singles and three pairs; entrance $2; added, $30. First prize 40 per cent., second prize 30 per cent., third prize 20 per cent., fourth prize 10 per cent.

There were 36 entries in this event. The best scores follow:

	Singles.	Pairs.
E. S. Barlow	10111	11-11-11—10
T. B. Ware .....N.	11111	11-00-11— 9
D. Burgess	11111	11-10-10— 9
H. T. Denham	11111	01-01-01— 8
C. E. Hughes	01011	11-11-10— 8
T. F. Smith	1111	10-00-11— 8
W. B. George	11011	10-10-11— 8
J. J. Evans	11111	11-10-00— 8
H. A. Munn	11011	10-10-11— 8
W. J. Leary	11101	10-10-10— 7
P. Kenzie	11110	10-10-10— 7
E. Fogg	10001	11-10-11— 7
D. Cooper	11111	00-11-10— 7
C. W. Minor	11011	00-11-10— 7
O. Weller	01111	10-10-10— 7
W. White	01110	11-10-10— 7
W. A. Eberly	10011	10-00-11— 6
T. A. Bringham	11010	10-11-00— 6
T. Monk	00111	10-01-10— 6
W. Grigg	11111	10-00-00— 6

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Highest average for the three days in events Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 11—First prize, S. A. N. W. gold medal, value $25; second prize, $25; third prize, $20; fourth prize, $17.50; fifth prize, $15; sixth prize, $12.50; seventh prize, $10; eighth prize, $8; ninth prize, $6; tenth prize, $5.

T. B. Ware of Spokane won the medal, having made 90 birds out of a possible 110. The other scores were as follows:

H. T. Denham	82
P. A. Kinzil	81
W. E. Eberly	80
E. S. Barlow	80
C. E. Hughes	79
F. B. Ware	78
J. F. Warren	77
C. W. Minor	77
J. C. Maclure	77
O. Weller	76
W. White	76
W. R. Dodge	76
E. E. Ellis	75
D. Cooper	75
B. H. John	74
H. N. Short	73
T. F. Smith	73
J. J. Evans	73

TO-DAY'S EVENTS.

The Victoria shooters were in good form to-day, and won the prizes in both the events that were completed this morning. The weather was very fair, although at times the wind interfered with the shooting.

Event No. 14—Club Team Contest—Teams of six men, members of clubs in any one city; none admitted unless a bona fide resident member of such clubs; no contestant can shoot in more than one team; 20 singles; entries $30 per team; first prize $120, second prize $80.

The first prize in this event has been won by Tacoma for several years, but this year a Victoria team, composed of two men from the Victoria and four men from the Union club won it. The score was:

Tacoma—Ellis, 16; Bell, 12; Denham, 15; Dodge, 19; Eberly, 15; Barlow, 17; total, 94.

Spokane—George, 11; Mason, 16; Burgess, 15; Wade, 14; Sisson, 13; Warren, 17; total, 86.

Victoria—Maclure, 20; Minor, 17; Hewlings, 16; Weller, 15; White, 12; Johns, 18; total, 98.

Consolation Match—The Selby Smelting Company's consolation medal, 25 birds, was won by W. H. White of Victoria. He tied D. H. Adams with 17 birds in the first 25, and in the shoot off won with 19 to 14. The score was:

Inks, 14; W. H. Adams, 17; D. H. Adams, 17; Henly, 13; Fogg, 16; E. G. White, 14; Leary, 11; T. C. Smith, 15; Allen, 12; Martin, 12.

The live bird match for the B. C. gold badge, was being shot this afternoon. Grigg, who won the Globe trophy for live birds, lost two out of his first five. There were several straights.

BILLIARDS.

IVES AND ROBERTS MATCHED.

London, June 16.—The return billiard match between Frank Ives, the American champion, and John Roberts, the English champion, has been agreed upon. The game will be played in July, upon the same table as that used in the last match, and the "jammed cannon (jawed carom) is to be barred.

CRICKET.

GAMES TO-DAY.

Corrig College and the Royal Dockyard cricket clubs will play a match at Beacon Hill this afternoon.

The lawyers and lambs of the Victoria cricket club will play a practice match this afternoon.

The Victoria Juniors are to play against the officers of the Champion and the United Banks will play against the Albions.

LACROSSE.

A LIVELY GAME.

A team picked by C. B. Lockhart played a match with the Victoria seniors last evening. The latter gave Lockhart's team several of their players to make the match more interesting. A couple of hours' good lively playing was the result. A number of visitors were present.

SHAMROCKS VS. TORONTOS.

Toronto, June 17.—In the great match to-day, Shamrocks vs. Torontos, the first game was won by the Torontos. Time, 4 minutes. Second game, Shamrocks. Time, 3 1-2 minutes. Third game, Shamrocks. Time, 30 seconds. Fourth game, Torontos. Time, 1 1-2 minutes. At 4.45 p.m. the game was stopped owing to Dixon of the Torontos being badly hurt. At 4.50 the game was resumed, Dixon getting out again, not being as badly hurt as was reported. At 5.10 p. m. Dixon was again hurt, and went off the field. The fifth game was won by the Shamrocks in 34 minutes.

THE RING.

GOING TO ENGLAND.

New York, June 17.—Jack McAuliffe, the lightweight champion of the world, sailed this morning on the steamship New York for Southampton. McAuliffe is accompanied by George McDonald, who trained Sullivan for his fight with Mitchell, Billy Plimmer, the 110-pound champion of the world, and Benny Murphy, the trainer of Billy Plimmer.

THE WHEEL.

A NEW CANADIAN RECORD.

Toronto, June 16.—Hensall, of this city, broke the Canadian three mile bicycle record of 8.08 yesterday, doing the distance in 8.06.

ATHLETIC.

ENTRIES CLOSE TO-DAY.

The secretary of the sports committee of the J. B. A. A., Mr. Billinghurst, received to-day a number of entries for the various events on the programme for the athletic meeting at the Driving Park next Saturday afternoon. The entries are very fairly spread over the different events, so that each will provide excellent sport for the thousands of spectators who are certain to flock thither. Some very fast men are coming from the Sound, and it is reported on good authority that such fleet-footed racers as Smith of Vancouver, Blain of Victoria and a "dark horse" from Northfield will struggle for honors in the sprinting events. Fred Turner, W. Keay, and other cyclists of note will be down from Westminster; and Vancouver, it is said, will send Laurenson, Potter and two or three more hard to beat. The James Bay club is doing its utmost to provide a first-class afternoon's sport, and so far all goes well. Tramway arrangements will be the best possible. Mr. Higgins says there will be plenty of cars.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and From the City and Province.

Mrs. J. A. Carthew left for the north last evening.

C. H. Mulkey, of Tacoma, is at the Oriental.

A. W. Vowell went over to the Mainland this morning.

B. Springer came over from the mainland yesterday.

Alex. McBean will leave for San Francisco to-morrow.

Robert Ledingham and wife have returned from their wedding trip.

J. G. Woods and C. G. Major, of New Westminster, are in the city.

Henry Croft, M.P.P., and N. P. Snowden have returned from Kootenay.

J. Trott, of London, Ont., is in the city, and will visit other parts of the province.

W. H. Mawdsley came down from Point Comfort yesterday and is at the Hotel Victoria.

Morris Guttman returned last evening from Seattle and is again at the Hotel Victoria.

R. H. Matson, manager for Canada of the Providents Saving Life Assurance Co., is in the city.

S. S. Bailey is back from a trip to the Slocan and Kootenay countries and is again at the Hotel Victoria.

Rev. Mr. Coombes, of Calvary Baptist church, is expected to return to Victoria to-night from Chicago.

Rev. S. Cleaver, who is to take charge of the Metropolitan Methodist church, will arrive from the east on Wednesday.

Judge W. C. Van Fleet and wife, of San Francisco, who have been spending several days in Victoria, will leave for home to-morrow on the Walla Walla.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—There was no police court this morning.

—Government street was cleaned up this morning.

—The adjusters are at work on the American hotel fire to-day.

—The city council will have a big batch of business at Monday evening's meeting.

The steamer Queen is due from Alaska at 10 o'clock to-night. She will sail at 6 a.m. to-morrow for the Sound.

—Constable Robb, of the Provincial Police, will leave to-night for Cariboo. He will act as guard for the Cariboo stage.

—The school trustees will inspect South Ward school sites on Monday afternoon. In several cases the prices asked are double the assessment.

—The Queen City Building association did not get a quorum together for the annual meeting last evening, and it was postponed until Friday, July 7th.

—Deputy Collector Smith has been hunting a tailor who has been doing business without paying a license. He was ready to serve the summons, but the tailor fled to parts unknown yesterday.

Marine News.

The steamship Mogul will arrive here on Tuesday or Wednesday from Yokohama.

Steamer Cariboo and Fly returned from the Sound this morning, and will leave for the north to-night.

Steamer Umatilla arrived from San Francisco this morning with a large number of passengers and 131 tons of freight for Victoria.

The steamship City of Topeka reported the schooner Henry Dennis with 1,700 sealskins as far as known. She brought no word of any other schooners.

Bargains in Laundried Shirts.
At Russell & McDonald's.

Fooling With Gasoline.

Oakland, Cal., June 17.—Ed. Lawrie, laborer, living at Mrs. Connel, lodging house, 73 seventh Street, arose early this morning to go to San Francisco. He began to clean his trousers with gasoline and spilled it on the floor beneath the bed. It became ignited in some manner and soon the room was in flames. His wife ran to the rescue of their three-year-old daughter, still in bed, and in doing so was badly burned about the head and face. In covering the child's face, she exposed its extremities, which are horribly burned. Lawrie was also burned on the face, head and hands. The other inmates saved the family from perishing.

Circumstantial Evidence Was Wrong.

Galveston, Tex., June 17.—On Dec. 12th, 1892, Peter Meggs was convicted at Anderson's, Grimes county, on purely circumstantial evidence, of the murder of Mike Ferry, sentenced to a life term and sent to Huntsville. Two or three months after his arrival there Mike Ferry, the man he was supposed to have murdered, appeared in western Texas, where he was arrested for committing a felony, convicted and sentenced to a short term in the same prison where his supposed slayer was confined. The men recognized each other immediately, but Ferry, being legally dead, cannot testify in behalf of Meggs, and the latter, being a convict, cannot testify in his own behalf. The matter has been brought to the notice of a well-known firm of Galveston lawyers, of which Congressman Gresham is a member, and they will summon six citizens of Hempstead, where Ferry is well known, to proceed to the penitentiary and idnetify him. This being done, steps will be taken to secure a pardon for him in order that he may testify in behalf of Megs, and thus secure his release. Lawyers who have been looking up authorities in the case say there is no such instance on record since the time of William and Mary of Orange.

DIED.

CROGHAN—In this city, on the 16th inst., William Bertram, child of Minnie and William Croghan, aged four months.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer City of Kingston from the Sound—F W Adams, A D McLennan, D W Speed and wife, H M West, C B Duffy, A D Attridge, B P Meckerston, C A Short, Capt De Wolf, Jno Larson and son, Wm Johnson and son, Mich Fa Arra, Peter Johnson, J E Lilly, Herbert Watson, C J Mulky, O A Anderson, Ben Bond, George Henderson, S S Bailey, C Goward, Wm Burns, Mrs G M Meigs, M Gadmar, Rev King, J Crawford, D Tuttle, K Allen, Blanche Payne, Florence Worster, E J Newbegin, W P Sayward, John Price.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—F Murphy, JR ogers, W Duck, J C Byrne, J H Falconer, W Caldwell, K Peiser, H Croft, MPP, Ben Springer, J G Woods Mrs D Ferguson, W C Van Fleet, A Tolman, Jas Henderson, Rev S Philo, C J Prior, F M Cheesman, W Topham, R H Metson, H Rhodes, H Weber, C E Jones, G Madigan, V Mitchell, A C Martin, A Lowen, J A Thompson, Capt MacGerrow, C G Major, Jas Rustowe, Mrs Van Fleet, Wm Gill, Jno H Murray, A Blee, H W Williams, J C Henderson, T F Flint, E Hatton, Alex Duff, S L Redgrave, W J Dwyer, H H Baker, P Walliston, F C Holden, J E Gordon, Morris O'Neil, Mrs Thomas, P Barry, N P Snowden, W P Walker, J Ross, Alex Beaton, W H Mawdsley, T R Slater, G E Short, Jas Moffatt, Mrs Hatton.

Per steamer Umatilla from San Francisco—Miss Morgan, Mrs T Morgan, John Detels, W Rogers, Mrs C Carr and son, F S Wallace, E P Thompkinson and wife, Mrs Bailey, Mrs E Bateman, J C Heath and wife, W H Mahoney and wife, W M Meeker, J D Meeker, F C Deacon, G H Laukey and wife, Miss Loveland, Miss Shotwell, W D Sheldon, Mrs O N Clarke and son, Miss N Greene, Miss Merceran, J E Church, Miss C Cameron, Miss S Cameron, Mrs M Cameron, C Sumner and wife, Mrs Schillingian and daughter, and ten steerage.

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Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—R P Rithet, H Bay Co, Sterling Bros, S Marks, H L Salmon, Ledingham Bros, J W Anderson, Ell Harrison, T N Hibben, E S Anderson, J W Mellor, Piercy & Co, J Fullerton, A B Erskine, Gilmore & McC, Simon Leiser, Lenz & Leiser, S H E Co, G H Barnard, A W Wilson, J W Pendray, Watson & Geiger, Rev C Watson, M W Waitt, J H Todd, Government Pty Office, E G Prior, E White, Langley & Co, Alex Vye, Ames Holden, D Spencer, Challoner & M, N Lewis, E B Marvin, C Bazett, Vic Iron Works, G H Maynard, Geo Powell, A E Macnaughton, A McGregor, Capt Irving, Justice Crease, H Saunders, Dalby & Claxton, H Bornstein, J Faulkner, Ramsay Bros, Rev J Hall, R Porter, Dom Ex Co.

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